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VICTOR HUGO STATUE UNVEILED IN PARIS.



One of the principal features of the great Hugo centenary celebration in France yesterday was the dedication of Barrias' statue of the poet.

NEWS—Summarized and Indexed.

THE WEATHER— THURSDAY, FEB. 27, 1902.

Threatening, with showers Thursday and Friday, cooler Thursday evening, brisk and high easterly winds, shifting to northwest Thursday night. The maximum temperature in Chicago during the 24 hours ending last midnight was 48 degrees at 5 p. m. and the minimum 33 degrees at 6 p. m.

Sun rises at 6:40; sets at 5:46. Moon rises at 11:17 p. m.

LOCAL:—

Mayor Harrison accused Board of Review with purposely failing to provide the city with needed revenue. Board charged Mayor with trying to make direct taxes pay all the expenses of the city.

Samuel Schwartz, a pupil of the Foster school, taken ill after being shaken by a teacher and died soon afterwards of heart disease.

Henry A. Rennie killed himself because he did not have enough money to enable him to marry. Thwarted in plan to shoot his sweetheart.

Sixteen-year-old girl came from Michigan to marry young man from Wisconsin whom she never met, but police arrested them both.

Manager Palmer said every precaution would be taken to prevent ticket scalping during the Mansfield engagement.

Lawyer Ernst Wedekind, indicted for defrauding a client out of $4,716, killed himself to avoid going to jail.

PRINCE HENRY:—

Prince Henry and his suite given a luncheon at Sherry's by ninety-two of the leading financiers of New York and the country. Royal guest canceled his afternoon program of sightseeing to remain with the men of millions.

Herman Ridder, editor of the New York Staats Zeitung, gave a banquet for Prince Henry, with prominent newspaper men as guests.

Prince Henry entertained in the evening at the Arion club, reviewing a torchlight parade of German clubs.

Great preparations under way to decorate Chicago during Prince Henry's visit.

Royal visitor left at midnight for Washington on a special.

Prince Henry may visit Canada before he returns to Germany.

DOMESTIC:—

Lieutenant Governor James H. Tillman of South Carolina, nephew of Senator Tillman, sent an insulting telegram to President Roosevelt, requesting the withdrawal of his acceptance of an invitation to make a sword presentation to a Spanish war hero.

Woodford Hughes of Jacksonville, Ill., who was warned to leave the place by vigilantes, returned and was killed by a mob while asleep in the house of a friend.

Henry A. Taylor, the Connecticut millionaire who furnished the money, convicted of conspiracy to bribe Grand Rapids officials in the water works case.

American Collector of Sitka expelled Canadian customs officers from Skaguay for interfering with American officials. Defied treaty with England.

Floods caused throughout Long Island by heavy snowfalls and rain. Railway traffic impeded.

Two burglars who attempted to rob a postoffice at Emma, N. C., hanged at Asheville, N. C.

FOREIGN:—

North German liner Neckar, with 1,315 persons aboard, towed into Halifax in a disabled condition by the steamship Karlsruhe. Stopped ship found in perilous situation.

Miss Stone in a message to her brother told of her captivity among the brigands. Will soon start for Salonica with Mme. Tsilka.

Liberal league formed with Lord Rosebery as President and Asquith, Sir Henry Fowler, and Sir Edward Grey, Vice Presidents.

Victor Hugo centenary celebrated throughout France as a national holiday. Monument to the author unveiled in Paris.

General Lucban, the leader of the Samar insurgents, captured by American scouts. War on the island now likely to cease.

American sailor charged with murder nearly lynched at South Shields, England.

Lord Edward saw his horse Ambush II. win a steeplechase at Kempton Park.

POLITICAL:—

Governor Yates compelled Dr. Hall to resign superintendency of Jacksonville Blind Asylum. Former's father-in-law said to be behind for the position.

Forty-fourth Ward anti-machine Republicans held meeting at Rebmann's Hall and declared war on Lorimer.

Harold Frank, Republican, announced his candidacy for Alderman of the First Ward.

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WASHINGTON:—

Cardinal Martinelli declined to take personal action on charges reflecting on the management of ecclesiastical affairs in the Archdiocese of Chicago. Investigation will be left to his successor.

Congressman Landis, as the result of a canvass of the House, declared the star route rural delivery plan is beaten.

Squad of bicycle policemen assigned to protect Prince Henry during his drives in Washington.

Senate and House conferees reached an agreement on bill for a permanent census bureau.

NEW YORK:—

Valet Jones on cross-examination in the Rice case admitted he had told four different stories concerning his employer's death, but declared he killed him for money.

Strike involving 1,500 men ordered on several buildings in course of construction by firm of contractors.

President-elect Palma consulted local Cubans concerning the policy of his administration.

Two members of the Boer delegation in Europe arrived on the Rotterdam.

Mrs. William Faversham, wife of the actor, sued for a divorce.

SPORTING:—

Charles Dexter selected by Manager Selee to play third base for the Chicago National league team.

Central A. A. U. announced list of entries for its indoor track meet at Milwaukee.

Jack Doyle appointed Captain of the New York baseball club.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
BROWHEAD	Germanic	
BREMEN	K. W. der Grosse	
GENEVA	Commonwealth	
KINSALE	Georgian	
LONDON	Minneapolis	
LIVERPOOL		Sylvania.
NEW YORK	Oceanic	Oceanic.
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PLYMOUTH	Patricia	Pretoria.
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QUEENSTOWN	Waesland	
ROTTERDAM	Maasdam	
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MAYOR AT WAR WITH REVIEWERS

Board Declines to Attend Conference and Bitter Words on Both Sides Follow.

BUDGET CUT TO LIMIT.

Controller's Figures Even on Fire and Police Departments Practically Followed.

"TIN GODS," SAYS HARRISON.

Executive Is "Four Flushing," Answers Fred W. Upham, Former Chairman of the Arbiters of Assessment.

DETAILS OF APPROPRIATION BILL

War has been declared between the city administration and the Cook County Board of Review. Mayor Harrison accuses the board of failing purposely to provide the city the revenues it needs. The board returns with the charge that the Mayor is trying to make direct taxes pay all the cost of city government, and that he is favoring the street car companies by refusing to get from them the income which is possible.

The Mayor had planned for a conference yesterday afternoon in the City Hall regarding the revenue crisis, and Controller McGann had issued invitations to the Board of Review members and to the bankers and heavy property-owners. The Board of Review as a body sent its regrets, and as a consequence the Mayor abandoned the whole idea of the meeting.

Then the Finance committee of the City Council set to work to undo all its former work and proceeded to cut every city department, including fire and police, to the bone.

Controller's Figures Followed.

As the appropriation bill, as finally reported by the Finance committee last evening, stands, the Controller's figures are practically followed. The Fire department is cut to less than it had last year. So is the Police department. The Health department will have to stand a reduction which will render impossible even the services of the fish inspector. There will be no street cleaning of any account in Chicago this year. No provision is made for extension of the electric lighting plant, and not enough for the maintenance of the existing one. Not enough money is set aside for the repairs of existing bridges, let alone the building of new ones. In short, the city is put on a poverty basis.

Mayor's Hopes Dashed.

The trouble all came about over the refusal of the members of the Board of Review to attend the conference. The Mayor's idea was that with bankers, big merchants, representatives of the Underwriters' association, the members of the Finance committee of the Council, and the Board of Review present, a promise might be secured from the reviewers that they would raise the assessment next summer to a total of $500,000,000.

With this promise in sight, it was argued, the bankers who have been accustomed to advance money on city warrants would buy them to the amount of 75 per cent of the income the city could expect to get from such an assessment, and this would provide money enough to justify the Finance committee in making more liberal appropriations. The property-owners were invited to express their willingness that such an increased assessmemnt be made.

Reviewers Send Regrets.

In the morning, however, Controller McGann received a letter from President West of the Board of Review, saying that as that board had an appointment with a committee of the Board of Underwriters at 4 o'clock in the afternoon it could not be at the City Hall at 3:30 p. m., and the invitation must be declined. On the receipt of this, notice was sent out to the other people invited that they need not come, except the underwriters, who had an appointment of their own with the Finance committee. Then the latter committee took the action it did.

Mayor Uses Strong Language.

Mayor Harrison had some strong language to use afterwards regarding the Board of Review. "What I want," said he, "is for the people to understand who is to blame when they run up against the proposition of an insufficient police force, an inadequate Fire department, a crippled health bureau, streets which cannot be cleaned, and the other effects of insufficient revenue. I want the people to know that the trouble originates over in Fifth avenue and not at the City Hall.

"We invited bankers like John R. Walsh, John J. Mitchell, and others who are accustomed to buy the city warrants to this conference. We also asked large taxpayers like Marshall Field and Cyrus McCormick to be present. The reason we asked for the attendance of the Board of Review was to get some assurance from its members as to what the probable assessment in Chicago would be this year. If they could have assured us that it would reach $500,000,000 we could probably borrow from the bankers on that basis. In the lack of such assurance the bankers naturally will refuse to advance a greater amount than the income on the last assessment of $370,000,000.

Calls It a Subterfuge.

"But the members of the board refused to come. They gave as a reason an engagement at the same hour with the underwriters, when they must have known that committee would meet them here. It was a subterfuge, as it looks to me. All we asked is that they tell us, or, if not us, the citizens who handle the city's paper, what they would do. This they refused.

"They are three little tin gods who sit over there in Fifth avenue and run things to suit themselves without regard to the City of Chicago. They are guilty of reckless and wanton disregard of the needs of the city and its citizens.

"When the 5 per cent limitation in the old revenue law was declared invalid, this board was ready enough to scale down all assessments, and never doubted its power. Now that this limitation has been restored, it is hesitating about increasing assessments.

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BIG LINER IS RESCUED

NECKAR TOWED INTO HALIFAX IN HELPLESS CONDITION.

Steamer Picked Up by Sister Ship, the Karlsruhe, While in Great Danger of Foundering, as Propeller Was Broken—Sailors, by Heroic Work, Pass Lines Between Vessels—Both Are in Great Peril for Time, with 2,600 Lives at Stake.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 26.—The monster new North German Lloyd liner Neckar, bound to New York from Bremen, was towed into this port this evening in a helpless condition by the Karlsruhe of the same line.

The Neckar, with a disabled rudder and with 1,315 persons on board, was drifting about the Atlantic at the mercy of the gales when it was picked up by the Karlsruhe on the banks of Newfoundland, 700 miles southeast of here. The big ship, when sighted by the Karlsruhe, was floundering in an alarming manner in the heavy sea and with distress signals displayed.

Ask Another Ship to Aid.

After considerable difficulty and great danger tow lines were passed, and the two big ships started west. The Malin Head, Captain McKee, from New Orleans, bound to Havre, with cotton, was sighted and requested to stand by the ships and accompany them to Halifax, which it did.

The Karlsruhe sailed from Bremen on the same day as the Neckar with 1,300 passengers, and met with tempestuous weather. At the time the accident befell the Neckar a hurricane was blowing from the northwest. The rudder broke close to the main post and rudder box.

The ship immediately fell off into the trough of the sea and rolled fearfully, and as soon as possible sail was got on to steady it and a temporary rudder rigged.

Prevent Panic Among Passengers.

There was considerable excitement among the passengers at the time, but the coolness displayed by Captain Harrassowitz and his officers and crew averted a panic. When the Karlsruhe was sighted the passengers, who crowded the decks, went wild with joy. This was on Feb. 17, in latitude 43° 22' north and longitude 46° 49' west.

After the rescue the weather continued bad and but slow progress was made. The Karlsruhe will be detained here four days and will take the passengers of the Neckar to New York.

The passengers on both ships are well. The Neckar is on its second voyage across the Atlantic, having been launched last year.

Officer Tells of Voyage.

The story of the voyage as narrated by Chief Officer A. Willemsen of the Neckar, is as follows:

"We sailed from Bremerhaven for New York on Feb. 8. For four days the weather was fine. On Feb. 12 the conditions changed. Easterly gales and snow, rain, and hail were met, continuing through Feb. 13, and changing on St. Valentine's day to westerly squalls with hail and snow. On Feb. 16 the wind blew a regular storm, with nasty squalls of rain and snow, increasing in violence throughout the day. In the afternoon the seas were running tremendously high, with a heavy swell, in which the ship labored heavily. The seas swept over the bows, and tons of water poured down upon the decks.

"At 11 p. m. the weather became so bad and the seas so rough the Neckar could not steer its way and was hove to. The wind was blowing a hurricane. Up to that time the Neckar was standing the storm well.

"On the morning of Feb. 17 the officers noticed something was wrong with the port engine. The ship would not answer the helm, and they found they had lost three blades of the port propeller.

Karlsruhe Is Sighted.

"The Neckar was pitching and rolling tremendously when we sighted the Karlsruhe. At 9 a. m. the steam steering gear was broken and we tried to steer the Neckar by hand. The Karlsruhe was then signaled to for assistance, but more mishaps came. At 10 o'clock the heavy rolling of the ship and the broken steering gear caused the rudder to give way just above the stock. In spite of the high sea and swell we launched a boat and the Karlsruhe did likewise in an endeavor to get a tow line across.

Heroic Sailors Save Ships.

"This was a test of courage, and the officers and crews of the two ships proved their mettle. Second Officer J. Heinswich, with a crew of four sailors, left the Neckar and, with almost superhuman efforts, made fast the line. The vessels were lurching and rolling terribly, and for eight hours these men battled with the waves before they were taken aboard their ships. Had they not displayed the greatest courage and the most skillful seamanship the boats would have been swamped and all would have perished. The Neckar then passed aboard the Karlsruhe a steel tow rope, and a start was made for Halifax."

Among the cabin passengers on the disabled ship is Mrs. May Smiley of Dearborn avenue, Chicago. She has been abroad for two years. "The officers of the ship are heroes," she said. "We were never afraid."

TO CASH BANK CHECK SILER "COUNTS OUT" FOR TELLER.

Boxing Referee Proves His Identity at Fort Dearborn National in Original Manner—Money Secured at Once.

As a means of proving his identity for the cashing of a check, George Siler, the pugilistic referee, was asked by the paying teller at the Fort Dearborn National Bank yesterday to "count out" an imaginary fighter.

When Siler presented a check to secure his money the teller said:

"You'll have to be identified, Mr. Siler."

The referee searched through his pockets and offered as evidence several letters, some of which were on boxing club stationery.

"O, you are the referee?" asked the teller.

"Yes, I'm the fellow," replied Siler.

"Well, I guess it's all right, but I need personal identification. Don't you know some one here?"

The possessor of the check said he did not, but perhaps some one of the force knew him. Thereupon the teller summoned one of the younger clerks who is known to have a liking for boxing, and to him the situation was stated.

The latter looked doubtful when he confronted Siler. "You look to me to be a bigger man in the ring," said the newcomer, looking suspiciously at Siler's nose glasses.

"That's true figuratively," said Siler. "I am a bigger man in the ring," at the same time removing his glasses.

Still the clerk was not absolutely sure. Suddenly the teller, in the midst of the discussion, interrupted with a jerky command of "Let me hear you count, Mr. Siler."

The latter instinctively bent half forward, began swinging upward and downward his right arm to a measured "One-two-three."

Before he had reached "four" the teller said:

"That's enough. You're Mr. Siler, and here's your money."

ANOTHER BOOR IN TILLMAN FAMILY.

Nephew of Senatorial Exponent of Barroom Debate Sends Studied Insult to Roosevelt.

OFFENDER IN HIGH PLACE

Withdraws Invitation Asking President to Present Spanish War Hero with Sword of Honor.

HAS BAD MILITIA RECORD.

Columbia, S. C., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—Lieutenant Governor James A. Tillman of South Carolina, a nephew of the Senator now in contempt for introducing barroom and prize ring tactics into the United States Senate, today sent a telegram to President Roosevelt which is and evidently was intended to be an insult of the most flagrant kind.

The animus of the incident is found in the fact that the President was forced to withdraw the invitation extended to Senator Tillman to be present at the White House dinner to Prince Henry, the formal withdrawal being made necessary when Tillman declined to accept a hint that he was not wanted and insisted on being an unwelcome guest.

President Was to Present Sword.

When President Roosevelt planned to visit the Charleston Exposition he was asked to present a sword to Major Jenkins of the First United States Volunteer Cavalry, the sword being purchased by Southern friends of his, who sought to pay honor to a brave man and gallant soldier. The President willingly agreed to do this, and so informed the committee of which Lieutenant Governor Tillman is chairman.

Studied Insult Is Sent.

Today Tillman sent the following message to the President, saying he did so in deference to requests by wire from the subscribers to the sword fund:

"A short while ago I had the honor to address your Excellency a letter requesting that on the occasion of your visit to Charleston you present a sword to Major Micah Jenkins of the First United States Volunteer Cavalry, of whose gallant services you spoke so highly, your words being engraved on the scabbard. You accepted the invitation, for which we thank you. I am now requested by contributors to the sword fund to ask that you withdraw said acceptance.

"JAMES H. TILLMAN,

"Late Colonel First South Carolina Volunteer Infantry and Lieutenant Governor South Carolina."

Refers to Senate Incident.

In explaining the sending of the telegram, Lieutenant Governor Tillman said:

"It is with much regret that I am directed, or rather required, to have sent the telegram I did, especially in view of the fact that I am so closely related to one who but a few days ago was subjected to an affront which was seemingly, or at least the people who contributed to the purchase of the sword think, unwarranted."

Is Long Range Fighter.

Lieutenant Governor Tillman, although he signs his full military title, is not generally regarded as much of a fighting man. When the war with Spain broke out the Lieutenant Governor; by making certain committee appointments in the Senate, over which he presided, got a commission as Lieutenant Colonel in the First South Carolina. His martial ardor soon cooled, and he soon allied himself with the recalcitrants. He became the leader and spokesman of the privates who wished to be mustered out. He took their petitions to Washington and their wish was granted. The regiment was sent home, marching through Columbia's streets without receiving a cheer.

Ordered Out of Camp.

Tillman visited the camp of the Second South Carolina Volunteers, who afterwards went to Cuba, and attempted to make the men a speech, encouraging muster out, but was escorted off the grounds by a detail.

Tillman no later than last week was accused on the floor of the State Senate of "dishonest legislation" by packing committees in the interest of a railroad.

The contributors to the sword fund are not known here, nor is it known how many authorized an action that will be unpopular in the State.

Will Be Blow to Exposition.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—"There never was a better example of a man cutting off his nose to spite his face," said an official who was shown the press dispatches regarding the action of Governor Tillman.

"The President was going to South Carolina to help out the Charleston fair. His going was a kindness to the local people. If he was asked to present a sword to a Rough Rider it was to confer a little more honor on the occasion.

"He will not imitate Senator Tillman and insist on being a guest. If the Governor of South Carolina desires to withdraw any invitation he will find the President only too ready to accept the changed situation."

Both Houses in Trouble.

The Senate, which is occupied with the status of Senators Tillman and McLaurin, has the sympathy of the House, which is itself in a tangle over Rear Admiral Schley.

The Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections was unable to decide what to do in regard to suspending the belligerents, so it was finally decided to refer the matter to a subcommittee consisting of Senators Burrows, Foraker, and Hoar, Republicans, and Bailey and Pettus, Democrats, who were instructed to report on Friday.

The Republican members are disposed to justify the conduct of Senator McLaurin as having been in a measure provoked.

Frye Thinks He Is Right.

Senator Frye still insists he was right in refusing to allow either Senator to vote, and only withdrew his order to present the case to the Senate for adjustment.

In justification of the South Carolinian it is pointed out that Senator Wellington called a colleague a liar only he did it in a round about way.

Suspension Is Advocated.

A Republican Senator whose standing as a lawyer is generally regarded as high is so strongly impressed with the belief that the Senate has the right to suspend a Senator that he has drawn up a resolution to the effect, and will probably introduce it when the case of Tillman and McLaurin is disposed of.

PREFERS DEATH TO A CELL

ERNEST WEDEKIND, UNDER INDICTMENT, A SUICIDE.

Accused of Defrauding Mrs. Link, Formerly Mrs. Feldt, of Luetgert Case Fame, of $4,116, the Attorney Shoots Himself While Deputies Are Eating in Mendelsohn's Cafe at 1147 Southport Avenue—Taken at Residence and on Way to Jail.

While two Deputy Sheriffs stopped at a saloon last night to eat lunch, their prisoner, Ernst Wedekind, an attorney, who was indicted yesterday on a charge of embezzlement, stepped into another room and shot himself in the head. He died an hour later, adding another tragedy to the list in the famous Luetgert case.

Wedekind was attorney for Mrs. Christine Link, formerly Mrs. Feldt, for whom, it was alleged, Adolph Luetgert, the sausage-maker, killed his wife. The attorney, it is said, collected $4,716 on a check for Mrs. Link, which he failed to account for, and on this the indictment was voted.

Arrested at His Residence.

The shooting occurred in Samuel Mendelssohn's café and saloon at 1147 Southport avenue. Wedekind had been arrested at his residence, 1964 North Paulina street, by Deputy Sheriffs Nicholas F. Auw and William Heuser, and, accompanied by ex-Alderman Patrick Haynes, who was bondsman for the attorney, was on the way to the County Jail, when the party stopped at Mendelssohn's at 7:45 o'clock.

The quartet sat at a table and had a few drinks, when the Deputy Sheriffs announced they were hungry. A lunch was served them, Wedekind and Haynes smoking while the others were eating. After half an hour the attorney went to the telephone and called up his house. He told his wife and two sons to come to him at once, as he wished to see them.

Wedekind rejoined the party, and in a few minutes his son August arrived in response to the summons. His father had no important communication for him at that time, and the son, a young man of 22, accepted a cigar and sat down to smoke.

Report of Revolver Heard.

At 8:50 o'clock, after the Deputy Sheriffs had spent an hour over their lunch, Wedekind again excused himself and went into another room. In a moment the officers of the law and other occupants of the saloon were startled by a report of a revolver.

Auw and Heuser, with the son, hurried to the spot and found Wedekind on the floor with a bullet wound in his head. One glance was sufficient for the son, and he rushed back into the saloon, crying:

"My father has killed himself!"

Physician Finds Man Dying.

Dr. Frederick M. Dottelzweiz was summoned from his residence across the street, and after an examination of the attorney's wound declared the man to be dying.

The Town Hall police were notified and the ambulance was sent, in which Wedekind was removed to the Alexian Brothers' Hospital. There he died at 10:30 o'clock last night.

Wedekind was arrested last Sunday on complaint of Mrs. Link, and was released on $20,000 bonds pending a hearing today. Ex-Alderman Haynes furnished the bond, and it was for this reason he accompanied the attorney last night when the latter was again taken in custody.

"We went into the saloon for a drink and a cigar," said Mr. Haynes, "and expected to come out in a few minutes. But the deputies said they had not had their supper, so we waited until they were served with lunch. I was not aware that Wedekind had a revolver. I don't understand why a prisoner should have been permitted to carry a weapon. I certainly suspected nothing when the man asked to be excused for a moment, and no one was more shocked than I that he should have taken his life."

Check Given to Pay a Note.

The check which Wedekind was charged with cashing and appropriating was given him, as agent for Mrs. Link, by H. D. Estabrook to pay a mortgage note. John C. Scheidt, a client of Wedekind, is charged with forging the indorsement of Mrs. Link on the check, and he, too, was the subject of an indictment voted yesterday.

Wedekind had an office at 81 Clark street. He left a wife and two sons, one of these being August, who was with his father a moment before the latter killed himself.

ACTORS CHASE A SCOFFER THROUGH CROWDED STREET.

Leading Lady of Company That Toys with "Camille" Heads Pursuit of a Harsh Critic—Doubter Escapes.

Grieved by a suggestion that they lacked the spark of genius, a number of Chicago actors and actresses raced madly through the streets of Laporte, Ind., yesterday. Directly in front of the charging throng extended to his utmost speed, was Wilbur J. Hall, manager of the Laporte Opera-House.

It was more than a mere coincidence that Mr. Hall and the actors happened to be running in the same direction at the same time. The stage folks, who were filling their first engagement with the De Nerve Dramatic company, actually were pursuing him.

The leading lady of the company, Miss Loy Marie De Nerve, was leading lady in the pursuit. Close behind her was the leading man, Harry W. Mitchell. Manager Frank Weiss of the company accepted a position close to Mr. Mitchell's heels.

While the chase primarily was for art's sake, vulgar money had something to do with it. The De Nerve Dramatic company had started out to be one of the sort that play "Camille" and admit women free. Laporte citizens went to the theater in goodly numbers on Tuesday evening, but as the performance progressed most of the men left their seats and stepped out to the ticket office to shake their fists at Mr. Hall. The women remained behind, and would have passed a pleasant evening gossiping had it not been for Camille's disturbing cough.

Mr. Hall was greatly moved. He canceled the engagement for last night, ordered his employés to see that the house was closed, and refused to turn over to the company its share of the receipts for "Camille" on the ground that the money should go to reimburse him for being compelled to darken his house.

Manager Weiss, Miss De Nerve, and Mr. Mitchell hunted high and low for Manager Hall, but did not succeed in getting their eyes on him till yesterday morning, directly after which Mr. Hall decided to take a run for his health's sake. The chase led down Main street, which was crowded with pedestrians, and furnished more excitement than Laporte has had since a big grain elevator burned four years ago. Finally Mr. Hall escaped and at last accounts still was in hiding.

Yesterday afternoon the troup, numbering six women and nine men, returned to Chicago. Manager Weiss' office is in room 807 Security Building. It is said that Mr. Weiss will sue the Laporte manager.

PRINCE FEASTED BY FINANCIERS AND THE PRESS

Royal Visitor Meets Great Captains of Industry at Luncheon in New York City.

VISITS HIS OWN KINDRED.

German Singing Societies Entertain Kaiser's Brother with a Concert and Torch Parade.

MEETS THE EDITORS LATER.

Representative Journalists from All Parts of the Country Sit at Banquet Board at Waldorf-Astoria.

STARTS FOR NATIONAL CAPITAL.

New York, Feb. 26.—[Special.]—Prince Henry met the captains of American industry at luncheon today and enjoyed himself so well that he canceled the afternoon program of sightseeing in order to remain in informal conversation with the men of business and finance.

The luncheon was the only incident of the day, the Prince remaining quietly on board the Hohenzollern all forenoon and returning to the imperial yacht from the luncheon.

In the evening the Germans of New York honored the Prince of the royal house to which they once owed their allegiance. Early in the evening the Prince was driven to the Arion society's clubhouse on Park avenue. Here he reviewed a torchlight procession of German societies and listened to singing by a chorus of 100 voices.

Later in the evening the Prince was the guest of the Staats Zeitung and a large number of journalists at a dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria. At its conclusion he crossed to Jersey City and boarded his special train, which left immediately for Washington, where tomorrow he will attend the McKinley memorial service.

Prince Henry of Prussia will also be the guest of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt at dinner tomorrow evening. The party to meet him will be an exceedingly small one and the occasion as informal as the rank of the imperial visitor and dignity of his host will permit.

Luncheon a Happy Thought.

The luncheon by the captains of industry today was one of the happiest thoughts on the program.

It was originally intended to have an even one hundred of captains to take luncheon with the Prince, but at the last moment eight of the five score of selected immortals had to decline for some reason or another, and so there were at the board one Prince of royal blood, twelve prominent citizens of New York, who were the hosts of his Highness and of the captains, and eleven specially invited guests. Therefore, at a function which is destined to become memorable, not only in the history of New York but of the nation, there were present 144 persons, of whom nineteen were included in the Prince's suite.

Prince a Prompt Arrival.

The Yeoman Captains of Industry who met the Prince at luncheon were expected to present themselves at Sherry's at 12 o'clock sharp. They were on time. The Prince, his suite, and the specially invited guests were expected at 12:30. They were also on time. In fact, it seemed as if Prince Henry, just to show that he can be prompt if he doesn't have to buck against wind and weather combinations, made an especial effort to be on time. It was exactly 12:30 by Sherry's clock when he stepped from his carriage in front of the door. He was accompanied, as usual, by Rear Admiral Evans, and escorted by Troop C, under command of Captain Debevoise.

After the Prince came his suite and the German Ambassador and German Consul General.

The carriage immediately behind that of the Prince, however, contained two rather important personages who will always be in the next carriage behind the Prince whenever his Royal Highness rides out in New York. In this carriage was Chief of Detectives Captain George Titus and his private secretary, Detective Sergeant Edward P. Hughes. By an arrangement with the local Committee of Entertainment, Captain Titus' place in any land jaunt of the Prince thereabouts will be right behind him.

Received at the Door.

The royal guest was met at Sherry's front door by Edward D. Adams, representing the hosts. Mr. Adams had met the Prince the day before at luncheon on the Hohenzollern, but that did not make any difference. He was introduced all over again by the German Ambassador. Then Mr. Adams escorted the Prince to the elevator and up to the third floor, on which is the grand ballroom, where the luncheon was served. Off the ballroom are several reception-rooms, and into one of these the Prince was conducted and introduced to Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan. Mr. Morgan, in turn, introduced his Royal Highness to all the other hosts and then to each of the specially invited guests. His Highness had not begun to be presented all around when his suite came along and its members had to be introduced. Introductions were through with, however, by 12:40, and everything was ready for the royal guest to enter the luncheon-room.

Captains Seated First.

About fifteen minutes before this, the Yankee Industrial Captains having been introduced to their hosts and the special guests, were sent into the dining-room and seated at eight crescent-shaped tables, each table seating twelve Captains. This left two tables on the main floor immediately in front of the table of honor, and that table, which was raised on a platform about a foot high, unoccupied. There was a distinct and carefully made plan about this arrangement. The plan had to do with holding to such precedents about precedence as obtain in court circles, the fact being borne in mind, however, that this particular function was one where royalty was to meet distinguished citizens of a country in which one

man is as good as another, and here is how the plan was carried out.

In the luncheon-room there were all told eleven tables, each built in the form of a crescent. Ten of the tables were on the main floor, and the table of honor, as has already been stated, on a platform which ran along the west wall of the room. This table had places for twenty-four persons. All the other tables had twelve place each.

All Sit Facing the Prince.

The tables on the floor all faced the table of honor and the guests sat on the outside of each crescent. In order that quantity should not mix too much with quality at the start the captains of industry were escorted to the dining-room and seated before the Prince arrived. After he and his suite had been introduced there was nothing else to do but eat, drink, and be merry.

The signal was passed to the orchestra, which was stationed in the palmroom, just west of the grand ballroom, and the "Washington Post" march was struck up. To this air the royal procession to the dining-room began, headed by Commodore Cass Ledyard of the New York Yacht club, escorting Lieutenant Commander Schmidt von Schwindt.

Following them came most of the military and navy Captains, commanders, and lieutenant commanders in the Prince's suite, including the following: Naval Surgeon Dr. Uthemann, Staff Surgeon Dr. Reich, Captain Baron von Kap-Herr, Lieutenant Commander von der Osten, Lieutenant Commander von Egidy, Lieutenant Commander von Mantey, Lieutenant von Trotha, Lieutenant Commander Karpf, Count von Montgelas, and Consul Geissler of New York.

These gentlemen made straight for the crescent-shaped table immediately in front of the northern point of the crescent-shaped table of honor. Commodore Ledyard was asked to preside at that table, because the hosts thought it appropriate that the Prince's naval officers should have as the presiding genius of their table a man who knew something of the sea.

At Mayor Low's Table.

Following the detachment under Commodore Ledyard there came next in the procession that was marching to the time of Sousa's famous march the next dozen guests headed by Mayor Low. The hosts had thought it proper that Mayor Low should preside over the table at which were to be seated such persons as the Assistant Secretary of State, high officers of our army and navy, and distinguished civilians. Accordingly Mayor Low marched at the head of his dozen, escorting Assistant Secretary of State Hill. Following them came: Baron von Ritter zu Grunstein, Dr. Wiegand, Colonel Bingham, Mr. Tietgens, Major General Corbin, Mr. Plate, Rear Admiral Evans, Mr. Ballin, Commander Cowles, and Commander von Rebeur-Paschwitz.

In the opinion of the hosts this particular dozen was just a little bit more distinguished than the dozen which preceded them and hence they were seated at the table across the aisle from the guests Commodore Ledyard was to look after and immediately at the southern point of the crescent-shaped honor table.

Prince and J. Pierpont Morgan.

After these came his Royal Highness, escorted by Mr. Morgan and followed by the rest of the twenty-four who were to sit at the table in the following order: Ambas- Vice Admiral von Tirpitz and Morris K. Jesup, General von Plesson and Levi P. Morton, Vice Admiral von Eisendecher and Elbert H. Gary, Vice Admiral Baron von Seckendorff and George F. Baker, Rear Admiral Count von Baudissin and James Stillman, Commander von Grumme and William Rockefeller, Count von Mueller and Ludwig M. Goldberger, who assisted the hosts in arranging the luncheon; Consul General Buenz and Alex E. Orr, Commander Hipper and John Claflin, Commander von Holleben and Edward D. Adams.

Royalty Received Rising.

As the royal party, so to put it, entered the room all who had preceded them arose. The Prince was dressed in the fatigue uniform of the German navy, and all of his naval officers were similarly attired. Mr. Morgan led the way to the central seat at the table of honor, which he appropriated for himself and motioned Prince Henry to the seat at his right. The German Ambassador was seated at Mr. Morgan's left. When everybody had been properly arranged at the table of honor Mr. Morgan took his seat and everybody followed.

Decorations Are Elaborate.

While the luncheon was being served those at the tables had a chance to see what the decorations in the dining-room were like. On either side of the main entrance were stands of German and American colors. Directly back of the seats of Mr. Morgan and the Prince in a frame of red plush was a large piece of tapestry made in this country. The walls of the room and the panels back of the east and south balconies were hung with costly pieces of tapestry brought from the other side.

The table of honor was decorated with orchids, American beauty roses, and lilacs. The front of that table and the fronts of all the other tables were hung with screens of smilax and Virginia creeper, out of which American beauty roses peeped. Vases of lilacs and American beauty roses also adorned the tables.

The luncheon was served by lackeys in liveries, said to be like the court liveries of England. However that may be, the lackeys were dressed in black plush breeches, with brass buckles at the knees, black cloth coats, cut something after the fashion of long-tailed cutaways, white waistcoat, with invisible buttons, black stockings, patent leather pumps, and white cotton gloves.

Cost of Luncheon a Secret.

Despite many efforts to obtain some definite idea of the cost of the lavish luncheon, which has been wildly estimated all the way from $20,000 to $300,000, the managers of the dinner would say nothing about the outlay of money required to entertain the Prince. It was the aim to invite no one simply because he was rich, but because he had some right to the title of "Captain of Industry."

Women in the Galleries.

Just as the coffee was passed a company of women entered the galleries overlooking the dining-room and seated themselves in the boxes. These were:

Mrs. Morris K. Jesup,	Mrs. Abram S. Hewitt,
Mrs. Edward D. Adams,	Mrs. Alexander E. Orr,
Mrs. George F. Baker,	Mrs. W. Rockefeller,
Mrs. John Claflin,	Mrs. James Stillman.
Mrs. Elbert H. Gary,	

Each of these women was accompanied by from eight to ten guests. Nearly all of them wore corsage bouquets of gardenias and jasamine. These are the favorite flowers of Prince Henry, and they were worn in his honor. Most of the women had taken luncheon down-stairs before entering the royal dining-room. When they entered the Prince ceased for a moment or so to be the center of attraction. It was not long before his Highness noticed the bouquets the women were wearing, and he asked Mr. Morgan if it would not be possible for him to get one. It never became known which woman parted with her bouquet, but it was not long before Prince Henry was wearing one in the left lapel of his coat.

Drink Toasts Standing.

As soon as the luncheon had been served the tables on the floor were moved aside and Mr. Morgan arose and proposed a toast to the President of the United States. It was drank standing, as were also the toasts which he proposed to the German Emperor and to Prince Henry. After the Prince had been toasted he jumped from his seat and, showing that wonderful tact of his, raised his glass and said:

"Gentlemen, permit me to pledge the captains of industry."

The sentiment was roundly applauded and the toast drunk. Then Mr. Morgan arose and said:

"Gentlemen, since we sat down here the galleries have become full." Everybody laughed and Mr. Morgan added:

"I would have said it better had I said that the galleries had become filled [more laughter]. At any rate, I propose a toast to the ladies."

Talks to the Captains.

This was drunk standing, and then all those at the head table stepped down on the floor and the captains of industry were presented to Prince Henry. For an hour he talked with one after another of the men who were bidden to meet him because they were esteemed to be those who were responsible for the country's industrial greatness.

The Prince seemed to particularly question Mr. Schwab, Mr. Griscom, and Mr. Morgan. At one time he had John D. Rockefeller standing on one side of him and William G.

BADGE FOR LOCAL PRINCE HENRY COMMITTEES



The medallion badge to be worn by members of the various committees in charge of the demonstration in honor of Prince Henry of Prussia will be one of the most highly prized souvenirs of the event. It is small, as compared with other badges, being but a trifle larger than a silver quarter. It will be heavily plated with gold, and suspended from a bar pin on which will be the name of the committee. The ribbon by which the medallion will be suspended will by its color also designate the committee, as follows: Common Council, terra cotta; Executive committee, military red; Finance, dark blue; Reception, Prince's purple; Ball, golden yellow; Banquet, light blue; Entertainment committee at First Regiment Armory, pink; Women's Reception committee, white. One side of the medallion bears the municipal coat of arms, while the other is adorned with the Prussian eagle.

HOSTS AND GUESTS AT DINNER GIVEN BY CAPTAINS OF INDUSTRY.

The Hosts.

J. Pierpont Morgan,	Morris K. Jesup,
Edward D. Adams,	George F. Baker,
John Claflin,	Elbert H. Gary,
Abram S. Hewitt,	Levi P. Morton,
Alexander E. Orr,	William Rockefeller,
James Stillman,	W. K. Vanderbilt,

At Prince Henry's Table.

Edward D. Adams.
Commander von Holleben.
Alexander E. Orr.
Consul General Carl Buenz.
William E. Rockefeller.
Commander von Grumme.
George F. Baker.
Vice Admiral Baron von Seckendorff.
Levi P. Morton.
General von Plessen.
Abram S. Hewitt.
Ambassador von Holleben.
J. Pierpont Morgan.
Morris K. Jesup.
Vice Admiral von Tirpitz.
Elbert H. Gary.
Vice Admiral von Eisendecher.
James Stillman.
Rear Admiral Count von Baudissin.
Ludwig M. Goldberger.
Captain von Mueller.
John Claflin,
Commander Kipper.

"Captains of Industry."

Edward G. Acheson,	John A. McCall,
James W. Alexander,	John Markle,
J. Ogden Armour,	Samuel Mather,
George F. Baker,	J. Rogers Maxwell,
Alexander G. Bell,	Charles S. Mellen,
Edward J. Berwynd,	Rear Admiral Melville,
John S. Billings,	A. I. Michaelson,
E. W. Bliss,	D. O. Mills,
Emil L. Boas,	S. Weir Mitchell,
Frederick G. Bourne,	Charles A. Moore,
Henry P. Bowditch,	George S. Morrison,
John A. Brashear,	Henry Morton,
Alexander E. Brown,	Franklin MacVeagh,
Charles F. Brush,	Max Nathan,
Adolphus Busch,	Simon Newcomb,
Alexander J. Cassatt,	Frederick Pabst,
Frank W. Cheney,	Wm. Barclay Parsons,
Duane H. Church,	Edward C. Pickering,
Charles F. Clark,	Albert A. Pope,
William B. Cogswell,	Henry S. Pritchett,
John E. Converse,	Michael I. Pupin,
Charles G. Cramp,	Norman B. Ream,
Francis B. Crocker,	Edwin Reynolds,
Charles Deering,	John D. Rockefeller
Theodore L. De Vinne,	W. A. Roebling,
William E. Dodge,	Henry H. Rogers,
John F. Dryden,	Charles M. Schwab,
James B. Duke,	Gustav H. Schwab,
W. H. Dunwoody,	Irving M. Scott,
Thomas A. Edison,	Coleman Sellers,
Marshall Field,	Samuel Spencer,
David E. Francis,	Francis J. Sprague,
John Fritz,	Nikola Tesla,
George J. Gould,	Elihu Thompson,
James B. Grant,	Robert H. Thurston,
Clement A. Griscom,	Herbert H. Vreeland,
James D. Hague,	Charles D. Walcott,
Charles M. Hall,	Rear Admiral J. G. Walker,
Edward H. Harriman,	George G. Ward,
Henry O. Havemeyer,	Levi C. Weir,
Marvin Hughitt,	George Westinghouse,
Julian Kennedy,	Edward Weston,
Samuel P. Langley,	F. Weyerhauser,
Robert T. Lincoln,	P. A. B. Widener.
Johnston Livingston,	

Other Guests.

Baron von Ritter Zu Grunstein, Washington.
Dr. H. Wiegand, Bremen.
Colonel Theodore A. Bingham.
Gustav W. Tietjens, Hamburg.
Assistant Secretary of State David J. Hill.
The Mayor of New York.
Major General H. C. Corbin.
George Plate, Bremen.
Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans.
Albert Ballin, Hamburg.
Commander William S. Cowles.
Commander von Rebeur-Paschwitz, Washington.
Naval Surgeon Dr. Uthemann.
Staff Surgeon Dr. Reich.
Captain Baron von Kap-Herr, Washington.
Lieutenant Commander von der Osten.
Lieutenant Commander Schmidt von Schwindt.
Commodore Lewis Cass Ledyard.
Lieutenant Commander von Egiby.
Lieutenant Commander von Mantey.
Lieutenant Commander Karpf.
Lieutenant von Montgilas, Washington.
Consul Geissler.

Rockefeller on the other. He pumped questions at each as fast as they could answer them. He became so much interested in this informal conversation that when somebody reminded him that, according to the program, he was to spend the afternoon in sightseeing around New York, the Prince replied:

"If it will not interfere with anybody's arrangements but mine let us stop here."

And so he remained in the luncheon-room asking questions for another hour. At 3:30 he said he must be going, and ten minutes later he was whirling away in his carriage down Fifth avenue with the troopers of Troop C at a quick trot before and behind him.

The music rendered at the luncheon was furnished by an orchestra led by Ivy Brooks, the banjo player, and composed of banjoes, guitars, mandolins, a zither, and a piano. The orchestra was stowed away in the palmroom, among whose foliage tiny colored incandescent lamps gleamed and in which a dozen or more canary birds could often be heard singing above the strains of the music. This particular kind of an orchestra was chosen after Prince Henry had expressed a desire to hear some typical American music. So pleased was the Prince with the first piece played by the orchestra that he asked it be removed to the luncheon-room so that he could hear the music more distinctly.

Music a Unique Feature.

The program, which attracted the Prince's attention to so marked a degree, was as follows:

1. Washington Post March.....John Philip Sousa
2. "Salome" intermezzo........William Lorain
3. Marche Comique...........Howard Whitney
4. Ballads...................Stephen C. Foster
   a. "My Old Kentucky Home".........
   b. "Old Black Joe".............
   c. "Old Folks at Home"..........
   d. "Lily Dale"...........H. S. Thompson
5. Serenade-Waltz..............Victor Herbert
6. "Honor Bright" waltz.........Ruby Brooks
7. "Narcissus"................Ethelbert Nevin
8. "Darkey's Dream"...........George Lansing
9. "Stars and Stripes Forever"..John Philip Sousa
10. Patriotic songs:
    a. "Yankee Doodle"...Dr. Shamburg, 1775
    b. "Dixie's Line"............Dan Emmett
    c. "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean"..........David T. Shaw
    d. "Hot Time in the Old Time Tonight"..........Theodore Metz
11. "Violets"....................Ellen Wright
12. "Salambo" intermezzo......Theodore Morse
13. College songs:
    a. "Fair Harvard"...............Irish air
    b. "Boola"..................A. M. Hirsch
    c. "Maisie"........................
    d. "Old Nassau"..............Carl Langlotz
14. "Hands Across the Sea"..John Philip Sousa

One Policeman Hurt.

The arrival of the Prince at Sherry's was attended by one accident. Just after the Prince had entered the building the carriage in which Captain Titus had been driven attempted to cross the street to get a place on the opposite side. Sergeant Thomas F. Mangan of Inspector Thompson's staff was in the roadway directly in front of the carriage, and before he could get out of the way the pole hit him in the side and knocked him down. He was carried into a nearby stable and reported for duty ten minutes later. The Inspector told him, however, to go home.

Guest of the Germans.

The German societies gave Henry of Prussia a thoroughly German reception at the Arion society clubhouse tonight. They spoke German to him, they marched before him with torches to the number of about 10,000, they sang German songs to him, and they gave in honor of his brother, the Emperor, and for his own royal self three tremendous German "hochs."

The Prince made in reply to the address made to him the only speeches in German which he has so far made in this country. The exception, it was understood, was made because he was talking altogether to men who were either born in Germany or were descended of German parents.

Prince Henry told the gathering that if any advice was needed from him to Germans in this country, it would be to this effect: That they could best show the quality of their German instincts by unwavering devotion to the country of their adoption.

The singing of the Arion chorus so pleased his Royal Highness that he asked for a second song and then asked with much insistence on a repetition of the second song that he had heard. And no one was treated with more evidences of the royal approval than was the conductor of the chorus, Mr. Lorenz.

Prince Arrives on Time.

The Prince reached the club almost exactly on time. He entered the front door and was confronted with as substantial a wall of full grown shirt fronts as ever grew on a gathering of Germans in this city. They stood in two solid walls inside the hall of the clubhouse, and in between them was President Frank Von Briesen of the Arion society, who addressed the Prince as follows, in German:

"In the name of the Arion society, I welcome your Royal Highness in its home. I trust that the hour your Royal Highness will spend under our roof will be pleasantly remembered by your Royal Highness. With us it will ever be cherished."

The Prince, on entering the Park avenue entrance of the club, had removed the low visored fatigue cap which he wore. A long dark blue hooded cloak was slung over his shoulders. With his hat held before him in both hands, Henry bowed to Mr. Von Briesen and said that he was glad indeed to be in the home of a German society.

Grateful for Hospitality.

He was grateful, too, he said, for the hospitality shown to him by Germans, and he desired to thank the society for receiving him in its beautiful home and for giving him the opportunity to witness a torchlight parade of Germans from its balcony.

Mr. Von Briesen, with the members of the Reception committee of the United German Societies, Dr. Louis Weyland, George Von Skal, B. Nagelschmitt, Jacob Ruster, Hermann Weber, Henry Wolf, Edmund Braendle, William F. Grell, S. K. Saenger, Dr. J. H. Senner, Dr. A. Von Duering, Dr. A. J. W. Kern, and Richard Mueller, marched up two flights of stairs with the Prince and his suite and the American officers who are accompanying him.

In the big concert hall on the third floor they found about 300 members of the society who had been waiting for them. Mayor Low was there. The Prince was led, with swift Teutonic adherence to the program, directly to a small marble topped table in the middle of the concert hall, and was there addressed by Dr. Louis Weyland, the President of the United German Societies' committee in German.

Prince Speaks in German.

In answer the Prince said, speaking much more rapidly than when speaking in English:

"Mr. President: Allow me to express my heartfelt thanks for this cordial reception. It fills me with joy that all German societies in New York City had a share in this ovation, which I do not take as addressed to me, but to my brother, his Majesty the German Emperor, my august sovereign.

"Gentlemen, I understand perfectly well that most of you are citizens of this splendid country. From your old fatherland you have brought the German sense of duty. And this sense of duty has undoubtedly been an important means to the success you have attained as citizens of this land. I desire for you that you may as citizens of this beautiful country preserve towards it the same sense of duty which actuates the brothers of your race in the old home country."

Great Roar of Approval.

Every pause in the Prince's utterance was greeted with great cheering and applause. When he ended an even greater roar of approval went up to the 1,800 colored electric lights that were glowing under the paper roses, which were strung in wondrous profusion from lines across the vaulted ceiling and in great chandeliers.

Then there was handed to him a heavy brown leather album decorated with silver. In it was a versified address by George von Skal, the managing editor of the Staats Zeitung. The purport of the address was that the German in the new world still loved the land of his father's birth.

Gayly Decorated Balcony.

Captain von Mueller then hurried up with the Prince's cloak, and he went out to a gloriously decorated balcony overlooking Park avenue. It was hung with blue velvet curtains, all studded with gold embroidered stars. Up above was a festoon of United States and German flags commingled, and in the middle of the festoon were the American and German eagles, wing in wing.

The floor of the balcony was covered with Turkish rugs, and one was laid over the railing where his Royal Highness was to rest his hands. Dr. Weyland, Mr. von Briesen, Dr. von Holleben, the German Ambassador, who had come in with the Prince; General von Plessen, Admiral von Tirpitz, and a few others went out and stood in a group behind Henry. Four of Captain Titus' men guarded the window out of which the Prince had stepped.

Streets Black with People.

Up from Park avenue floated the strains of the tune which is known in this country as "America," in Great Britain as "God Save the King," but which was on this occasion declared officially to be "Heil Dier im Sergerskranz."

The Prince looked down on a black mass of people which filled all the space in the avenue on either side of the tunnel opening and extended as far across Fifty-ninth street as the eye could reach. A street car was stuck fast on the far side of the Fifty-ninth street crossing, and the top of it was covered with spectators.

At the great height of the balcony from the ground it was almost impossible to distinguish figures in the dark mass below. The Board of Education Building opposite was quite bare of decorations, although the brightly lighted windows were filled from side to side with spectators. The owner of the flat house adjoining, however, had filled his windows with Japanese lanterns, which made the prospect much more gay.

Coming of the Marchers.

The crowd gave way on the east side of the tunnel and in a moment the street was cleared. Down from Fifty-eighth street came a mass of torches, bobbing up and down with the steps of the bearers. The band was in front of them. The Prince raised his hand to the visor of his cap in salute to the tune. There was a break in the torches and the bearers of a forest flag marched by. The Prince was told that these were the emblems of the societies. He saluted them, too.

Then came the societies. They came without any interval between the bodies of torch-bearers, except those made by the twenty-five bands which accompanied the procession, and brayed their loudest under the Prince's balcony. Orders had been given that there should be no cheering. But the folks down below were evidently watching the Prince closely, little as they could see of him. For every time his hand went up to the visor of his cap there was a big shout from below, which spread out into the side streets.

Many Societies in Line.

There seemed to be no end of the torch-bearers. There was everything represented there, from aristocrats like the Liederkranz and the Arion to the Pretzel Vurnishers' union and the Williamsburg Picklemakers' Verein. It was a great Fackelzug. But from the distance from which the Prince was reviewing it there was something of a monotony about it. The society had songs to sing to the Prince and an effort was made to get him inside. He shook his head and stood with his hands on the balcony rail, rising on his toes much of the time, slightly in time with the music.

Admiral von Tirpitz, the secretary of the imperial Germany navy, came in after a while and walked down the velvet carpet which had been laid for the Prince's passage across the hall. A member of the society said to him:

"Why does your Excellency laugh?"

"It is impossible," said his Excellency, "there are not so many Germans in one American city; it must be that they are walking around the square and that we are seeing the same ones again and again."

The Admiral illustrated his meaning by making a circular motion with his hand, ending with an upward salute as to a Prince in a high balcony at the end of each circle. The Admiral, who had made the suggestion jocularly, was gravely assured that the marchers were all real members of German societies and that they were not "repeating" like a theatrical army.

Hears a College Yell.

Near the last of the line came the Columbia College societies. They let off their yell as soon as they crossed Fifty-ninth street. It came up to the Prince in full force:

"Ray, ray, ray, C-o-l-u-m-b-i-a! Prince Henry!"

His Royal Highness turned to Mayor Low, who was standing by his side at the moment, and said:

"Permit me to say, not at all in a critical way, I mean in a way to hurt your feelings, but it seems to me a fine trait of your people that they always feel free to make a great noise when their enthusiasm is great. It is fine."

Mayor Low Explains.

Somebody told the Prince that the yell came from a college that had been under Mr. Low's care until recently. The Prince bowed to the Mayor and said that his compliment had the added force of having been unconsciously directed to one who was responsible for the thing that had been praised.

Mr. Low explained painstakingly that every college in this country had its own formula of noise for occasions of great importance to the student body. The Prince was visibly impressed.

After the last of the parade was over the Prince was taken back into the concert hall. The Prince listened again to the singing of the United Societies. After the singing Prince Henry shook the leader, Julius Lorenz, by the hand and complimented him on the excellence of the great chorus. The Prince then called for more songs, and these were readily given until Colonel Bingham reminded him of his engagement at the Waldorf-Astoria.

The Prince summoned his suite and, preceded by Rear Admiral Evans, left the building, while the band played "America," and, taking carriages, went to the dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria, the crowds lining the streets keeping up a constant cheering.

Meets Twelve Hundred Editors.

The banquet given by the press of the United States in honor of Prince Henry of Prussia tonight at the Waldorf-Astoria was attended by more than 1,200 editors and publishers from every part of the country and gave the royal guest a favorable opportunity of getting in touch with one of the principal bulwarks of a republic. Incidentally it was the largest gathering of newspaper makers that ever sat down at one board in the history of the United States.

The great assemblage of journalists was leavened by a liberal sprinkling of the leaders in various other departments of national activity, and the banquet as a whole was the most brilliant and ambitious which the guest from over the seas has yet attended.

The heads of all the metropolitan journals were present, together with the captains of the press from the principal cities, and with them were the men who in the smaller towns help to mold into readable form the history of the nation.

Dinner in the Ballroom.

The dinner was given in the handsome ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, but that immense apartment was not large enough to accommodate the newspaper guests, and the Astor Gallery was also used.

The two rooms were splendidly decorated. Mr. Ridder and the special guests sat at an elevated table, above which were the American and German flags. The staves were crossed, and the banner, draped fan-like, reached out like the wings of a huge butterfly. Above them was the Prussian eagle done in incandescent lights. From the boxes hung clinging vines and set in on the ledges were hundreds of palms. Each table carried bouquets of American beauty roses, round which were candelabra shaded in red.

Crowds Wait for Him.

Prince Henry, attended by the members of his suite, drove to the hotel under escort of cavalry and mounted police. The demonstration in the streets leading to the hotel was the most cordial of any that has so far marked his appearance in public.

Great crowds lined the way and pressed against the police guards that had been thrown around the Thirty-third street entrance to the hotel. They cheered when the Prince came in sight and he frequently raised his hand to his cap in acknowledgment of the demonstrations.

The Prince reached the hotel at 8:30 o'clock and was received by Mr. Ridder. They shook hands warmly, and while they paused for a brief talk the members of the suite and the delegates of President Roosevelt filed up to the banquet hall. The band played the American national anthem as the first of the uniformed staff entered and the crowd of guests arose. There was a great cheer as the Prince appeared and another when he took his place at the side of Mr. Ridder at the special table.

Seated at Chief Table.

Those who occupied seats with the host and chief guest were: Edward P. Call, Lieutenant Governor Woodruff, Consul General Buenz, Melville E. Stone, Admiral Evans, Captain von Mueller, Mayor Low, Admiral von Seckendorff, Assistant Secretary Hill, Frank B. Noyes, General von Plessen, Austrian Minister, Bishop Potter, Whitelaw Reid, German Ambassador von Holleben, Edward Uhl, Archbishop Corrigan, Admiral von Tirpitz, Senator Lodge, Admiral von Eisendecher, Charles Emory Smith, Senator Hawley, Senator Depew, Admiral Count Baudissin, Charles W. Knapp, Captain von Grumme, General Corbin, the Rev. Dr. Gottheil, and William C. Bryant.

Blaze of Electric Lights.

As the Prince took his seat the electric light was flashed into the Prussian eagle above him on the southern wall and the power was also increased in every one of the 2,500 incandescent lights that burned in the room. It gave special brilliancy to an already attractive scene.

Mr. Ridder called upon Bishop Potter, who offered a brief grace.

A small army of waiters quickly filled the aisles between tables, and, with an order that was remarkable in such a large gathering, the banquet began.

As the evening proceeded hundreds of handsomely gowned women filled the boxes above the dining hall. An orchestra high up in the second tier of boxes played popular national music, and when a tune caught the fancy of the crowd they sang it. At "Die Wacht am Rhein" the crowd arose, and, after singing it lustily, there were loud cheers. "America" got the same enthusiastic treatment.

Prince Quick with a Joke.

There was an amusing and pat incident during Prince Henry's speech. He had just said that the press was like so many submarine mines, when the waiter who had been trying to make his way out of the dining-room

PRINCE PAYS A TRIBUTE TO WORK OF THE NEWSPAPER MEN OF UNITED STATES.

Prince Henry, in answering the toast to his honor, at the press banquet in New York, said:

"This is the largest interview I ever had." He then continued:

"I am fully aware of the fact that I am the guest and in the presence of the representatives of the press of the United States, and in particular the guest of the New York Staats Zeitung, both of which I wish to thank for the kind invitation and reception I have met with tonight.

"Before entering into details I should like all of you to understand that I consider this meeting, though it may be looked upon as official, as a private one, and that it is my wish that none of you will take advantage of what is said or spoken after leaving this table.

"Undoubtedly the press of our day is a factor, if not a power, which may not be neglected, and which I should like to compare with ever so many submarine mines which blow up in many cases in the most unexpected manner; but your own naval history teaches us not to mind mines, should they ever be in our way. The language on this memorable occasion was stronger than I would venture to reproduce here tonight. I need only mention the name of Farragut.

"Another comparison might be more to your taste, gentlemen, and is in fact more complimentary; it is one which his Majesty, the Emperor, used before I left. He said: 'You will meet many members of the press and I wish you therefore to keep in mind that the press men in the United States rank almost with my Generals in command.'

"It will interest you, I know, to learn something about the nature of my mission to this country. The facts are as follows: His Majesty the Emperor has minutely studied the recent and rapid development of the United States, and his Majesty is well aware of the fact that yours is a fast moving nation. His sending me to this country may therefore be looked upon as an act of friendship and courtesy with the one desire of promoting friendlier relations between Germany and the United States. Should you be willing to grasp a proffered hand you will find such a one on the other side of the Atlantic Ocean."

At the end of the speech the Prince was heartily applauded.

WHAT HENRY DID YESTERDAY.

12 m.—Left yacht.
12:30 p. m.—Luncheon at Sherry's.
3:30 p. m.—Returned to Hohenzollern.
6 p. m.—Left yacht for Arion club.
6:30-8:30 p. m.—Reviewed torchlight parade of German societies.
8:30 p. m.—Escorted to Waldorf-Astoria.
8:45-11 p. m.—Press dinner at Waldorf-Astoria.
11 p. m.—Returned to Hohenzollern.
12 p. m.—Left for Washington.

WHAT PRINCE WILL DO TODAY.

9 a. m.—Arrival at Pennsylvania depot in Washington.
9:30 a. m.—Arrive at German Embassy.
12 noon—Received at Capitol, for McKinley memorial services.
3 p. m.—Leave for Mount Vernon to visit tomb of Washington.
6 p. m.—Arrive in Washington.
6:30 p. m.—Arrival at embassy.
8 p. m.—Dinner at White House.
11 p. m.—Return to German Embassy.

with a tray full of china and silver tripped and fell with a crash.

"There goes one now," said the Prince, looking up from the manuscript he had prepared, and the waiter flew, followed by the laughter of the audience.

Excellently molded statuettes of Prince Henry were distributed as souvenirs.

Whitelaw Reid's Speech.

At 10:25 o'clock Mr. Ridder, rapping for attention, proposed the health of the President of the United States and the Kaiser Wilhelm, and called upon Whitelaw Reid to respond. Mr. Ridder said:

"Your Royal Highness, and gentlemen: I have the pleasure and the honor of offering the health of the President of the United States and the German Emperor, which I ask you to rise and drink, and I couple with this sentiment the name of the Hon. Whitelaw Reid, the distinguished editor of the New York Tribune."

Whitelaw Reid, in responding to the toast to "The President of the United States and the German Emperor," said:

"In the republic, as in the monarchy, no one takes precedence of its Chief Executive. Here tonight then, as at any time and anywhere, between New York and San Francisco, or from Porto Rico to the Philippines, your first honor is to the President of the United States. You pay the tribute of every good citizen to the great office, and you express the regard of every patriot to the soldier and statesman who worthily fills it.

"The man you thus honor is the chosen of 75,000,000, called unexpectedly to hold the first place on a continent. The ease with which he succeeded to the new duties and the steadiness with which the ship of state moves on through storms or sunshine, with new men at the wheel and a new officer on the quarterdeck—these are the tests that tell the strength of the craft and the safety of the chart by which it sails.

"There is no need to speak of the wide and varied experiences that have trained this man for this post, or to recount his versatility, his capacity, his devotion, or his strenuous honesty of purpose and act. But one thing I may venture to say: this high official is not brooding over the past. He is conscious of the time and of his opportunity; he is at work in the growing, glowing present, and looking not backward, but to the widening future.

Honor to the Kaiser.

"And now, to the mighty chief of another land, whose friendly and gracious act has prompted this festival! King and Emperor, and powerful as those high titles imply, he is honored among us, like the President, because he stands for the great people whom he rules, and especially for the best that is in them. Admired and trusted at home, every year he has been on the throne more than the year before, as his people have come to repose more and more confidence in his purpose and in his sagacity, he is now no vague, ill-understood character. All know him as highly trained, widely read, much traveled, full of tastes and ideas and activities; huntsman, yachtsman, musician, artist, writer, orator, and, best of all, still with the glory and the potency of youth.

"He knows what he thinks, and he says it—plain. He knows what he wants, and he goes for it—straight. If these are the marks of an Emperor they are, at any rate, not so different from some Presidential traits we know as to keep the most downright of Republicans from respecting and heartily liking them.

"War lord he may be, but he has kept the peace of Europe; while under his enlightened rule labor has been encouraged, art and literature have been fostered, morals and religion have been protected, and Germany at home and abroad, on land and by sea, grows steadily greater year by year.

Not Jealous of Germany.

"Her progress is regarded with no unfriendly or jealous eyes from this side the Atlantic. We have long since learned to consider the prosperity and happiness of others not as hindering but as helping our own. Not even the strides of German trade and the growth of the German navy disturb us. Keep on expanding; and, above all, trade more and more with us, and help us keep the doors of the Orient open to the trade of the world!

"The racial instinct no longer stops at national boundaries. It is not shut off by the sea or extinguished by a change of government. And let us never forget that the race which bears forward the banner of Germany today is kindred or the same in origin with that of the English and the Dutch who first peopled these shores. Yet more—in the very city where we are met, we are surrounded by 322,000 native Germans, and if you add others whose direct parentage on both sides was German you more than double that great number.

"Nearly one-fifth of the whole metropolis of almost three and a half millions are either actually German-born or had German-born fathers and mothers. Nor does New York in this particular stand alone. When your royal guest passes through Cincinnati he will find in that town of 330,000 one-third, or, to be more precise, 107,000, of similar German origin; and in Chicago one-fifth, or, to be more precise again, 363,000, in a total population of 1,700,000.

Three Nations for Peace.

"Speaking some years ago to the Chamber of Commerce, I had occasion to observe that if God and nature had ever marked three nations for perpetual peace and friendship with each other, those three were Germany, Great Britain, and the United States. The favor with which the merchants of New York then received that sentiment emboldens me to repeat it on this significant occasion and in this royal presence. Between the two nations first named peace has endured throughout history. As to the third—since we are learning that there are no longer secrets in diplomacy—I take the liberty to mention that, at a critical period, his Imperial Majesty the German Emperor, sent a message to one of our country's representatives abroad on an important matter of current business, beginning with the memorable words: 'There has been unbroken friendship between the United States and Germany since the days of Frederick the Great, and I sincerely trust it may endure forever.' In drinking his health I pledge the cordial concurrence of this city, of my colleagues of the American press here represented, and, I think I may venture to add, of this whole country, in that noble aspiration."

Introducing the Prince.

Mr. Ridder, speaking for the New York Staats-Zeitung, said, in introducing the Prince:

"When a few weeks ago we received the news that your Royal Highness was coming to this country we conceived the idea that you, sir, and the representatives of the daily press of the United States should be brought together on an occasion like this. It seemed to us particularly fitting that we, makers of newspapers, should assume to do honor to a German Prince, for was it not one of your countrymen—the immortal Gutenberg—who discovered the art of printing?

"An invitation was cabled to Berlin and accepted. Our royal guest has come to us. So heartily has he been welcomed by the American people, that, although I should be the last man at this table to introduce a political subject upon this occasion, I cannot forbear saying frankly to your Royal Highness, that you have violated one of the most venerable traditions of our country—the Monroe doctrine—in a most surprising way. You, as representing the German Emperor, have not seized upon any one spot of ground, you have captured us all and made us all your own.

Germany and America.

"It has seemed to us eminently proper that men of American birth and of German descent, like Mr. Uhl and myself, should have been the means of thus bringing together your Royal Highness and the leaders of the most potent factor in American life. Other speakers more able than I, will, no doubt, have much to say of the bonds that unite Germany and America, but I want to draw attention at this time to the friendship that has existed between your land and our republic, even from the time of our birth as a nation.

"It will be recalled that Frederick the Great was a friend of Washington, and that from his staff there came to us in the hour of stress one whose name will ever be held in grateful remembrance by the people of this country. He it was, Baron von Steuben, who drilled the raw recruits and farmer lads of the continental army, made soldiers of them, and made possible Washington's great victory. He was beside Washington in the closing days of that great struggle, at Yorktown, and shared with the great commander the glory of that hour. Retiring from the army he came to this City of New York and enjoyed the plaudits of those who owed him so much. Thus early he was the first President of a German-American society in New York.

Bound by Ties of Kinship.

"And from that day, sir, to the present time, Germany has ever been the steadfast friend of the United States. The blood-bond still survives! And it is but natural, therefore, that we should welcome you tonight with special affection. We greet you not alone as a German Prince, but also as one bound to us by the ties of kinship. The Saxon spirit has played its part in American national life as it has done with you in giving renewed vigor to the great empire from which you come. And that strain in the American people, let us hope, will bring our two great nations closer together in the bonds of friendship in the future. In this spirit, then, I ask you gentlemen to rise, and all standing, to drink to the health and long life of his Royal Highness, Prince Henry of Prussia."

Toast to the Prince.

Prince Henry was then introduced. As he stood up the crowd burst into song, "Hoch, Soll er Leben Mal Hoch!" After that they sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

The Kaiser's brother was frequently interrupted by applause, and at its close he was given another round of cheers.

By Charles Emory Smith.

Charles Emory Smith responded to the toast, "Saxon Blood. What We Owe to Germany in Literature, Art, Science, and Music," saying in part:

"The debt we owe to Germany requires a passing word on the philosophical speculation which has been in such large degree the dominant note of her intellectual life. Germany has led the world in this field of inquiry, and it is only necessary to name Kant and Liebnitz and Hegel and Schopenhauser to emphasize her supremacy.

"In art Germany points to the great names of Durer and Holbein, which glorified the renaissance and of whom there are more significant examples in one or two private American galleries than can be found anywhere else save in the greatest national collections.

"To German music our obligation is immeasurable. If all music other than that of the chief German masters were lost we should still have all the essentials and most of the works that the critical world recognizes as possessing immortal beauty. In absolute music Bach, Beethoven, and Brahms, and in dramatic music Wagner, present the most sublime examples of creative form that have soothed, thrilled, and transported mankind.

"It is the music-loving race of Germany that has unlocked for all of us the heavens of melody and harmony, and it is justifiable to say that, next to their own native land, their greatest works have received their amplest recognition and appreciation among the American people.

"Our debt is not alone or chiefly to individual achievements. It is to the character and conscience of the German people. We are indebted to them for the honesty of their work, whether in literature, in science, in art or in music.

"Through their veins and through ours, refined through the centuries, flows the same original strain of Saxon blood, always frank, manly, and true; and in the greetings of this hour and of this whole welcome visit of his Royal Highness as the chosen and worthy representative of the German Emperor and people we seal a new bond of friendship and join hands in the fellowship of nations."

International Amenity.

Charles W. Knapp, in responding to the toast "International Amity," predicted that amity among the nations, widespread and enduring, will ultimately prevail, but that generations may come and go before the hope will be realized. The conference at The Hague, he said, did not put an end to war but its tribunal stands a concrete testimony of the aspirations of nations.

Mr. Knapp paid a high tribute to the diplomacy, statesmanship, and conservatism of the German Emperor. He closed by saying:

"We cannot overestimate the influence of Germany in holding the concert of Europe. In the wise dispensation of God this one nation has been all powerful in the establishment of harmony among the nations. The daily prayer of humanity appeals for the preservation of the amity that now blesses the world. We count on the ultimate establishment of a broad and universal commercial reciprocity. We forecast the day when the open door shall hospitably invite in all lands; when the gates of trade shall everywhere swing inward as well as outward. So also we cherish firm hope that time will bring universal recognition that territorial aggrandizement is in no degree a necessary accompaniment of national development. When these vital truths are brought to the heart of all the nations, then will amity spread its blessed wings over all the earth, goodwill inspire the acts of every government, and the angel of peace abide among the peoples of the whole world."

Cablegram to the Kaiser.

During the progress of the banquet the following cablegram was sent to Emperor William:

"To the German Emperor: The editors of the daily newspapers of the United States, 1,000 in number, in honor of your illustrious brother, send you cordial greetings and all good wishes for a long and prosperous reign. We hail the presence of Prince Henry in this country as an omen of even closer ties of amity, and heartily reciprocate all of the splendid and repeated overtures of friendship you have been graciously pleased to extend."

The dinner was concluded at 11:45 p. m. and the Prince immediately left, accompanied by his suite. He was heartily cheered as he went out of the banqueting-room.

Departure for Washington.

Prince Henry and his suite left Jersey City for Washington soon after the banquet. A special train of eight cars, the same which conveyed him to and from Washington, was awaiting him. As early as 10 o'clock thousands had congregated at the Pennsylvania railroad station, waiting to get a glimpse of the Prince. The Prince's baggage, which consisted of five trunks, arrived at the depot at 11:30 o'clock. The ferry boat Pennsylvania lay at the foot of Twenty-third street from early in the night until the Prince and his suite arrived at the ferry. The train is expected to reach Washington at 9 o'clock.

EXPLAINS VANDERBILT DINNER.

Invitation to Prince Henry the Result of Cable Message from Emperor William.

New York, Feb. 26.—[Special.]—The visit of Prince Henry to the box of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt on Tuesday evening at the gala performance, and his marked attention to her, have been matters of current discussion since that event. The recognition was so marked and the singling out of this young matron so obvious that it took many by surprise.

However, those who know Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt claim that the acceptance of the invitation to a dinner at their house, to be given by them for the Prince, has been an arrangement of some weeks' standing, and that the request to entertain Prince Henry at dinner is a personal one, given by the Emperor himself, and cabled personally to Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt. In consequence of this Prince Henry was bound to call on Mrs. Vanderbilt on Tuesday evening, according to the etiquette of his country. When a dinner invitation is received the man who received it calls upon his future hostess, especially if he has never met her before.

Met Kaiser Years Ago.

The request that Cornelius Vanderbilt ask the Prince to dinner came about in a simple way. Some years ago when Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt was Miss Grace Wilson she was a guest of Mrs. Robert Goelet, and again of Mrs. Ogden Goelet, a sister, on their yachts in the Riviera. The German Emperor was entertained by Mrs. Robert Goelet on the Nahma. Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt met the Emperor, and also met him and the imperial family when Mrs. Goelet some years ago was making a cruise in the Baltic. When in Germany Mrs. Vanderbilt was the recipient with her hostess of much attention on the part of the imperial family.

When the visit of the Prince was contemplated the Emperor was anxious, it is understood, that he should be entertained by one representative American family. At first it was Mrs. Robert Goelet who was to do the entertaining, but the illness and sudden death of Miss Beatrice Goelet ended the plan, which might not have been put into execution at any event, as Mrs. Robert Goelet had arranged to go abroad and join the Nahma at Alexandria early in February.

Emperor Pleased at Courtesy.

Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt at this time, it is said, came forward in a quiet way only with the intention of offering some civility to Prince Henry in return for the kindness shown her by his imperial brother and family. She consulted the German Ambassador, Dr. von Holleben, and he cabled to the Emperor. The result was a direct reply from the Emperor to Mrs. Vanderbilt, requesting her to entertain his brother at dinner. The Emperor, it was further said, was delighted, because he considered the Vanderbilt family a representative one.

Since the death of Cornelius Vanderbilt Sr. Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt Jr. has insisted that she should be called Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, and suggested that her mother-in-law, with whom she is not on good terms, should be known as Mrs. Vanderbilt. Within the last two years she has taken a marked lead in all social matters.

DISCORDANT NOTE IN BOSTON.

Two Members of the Massachusetts Legislature Oppose State Reception to Prince Henry.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 26.—When the order adopted by the Senate bill providing for the reception of Prince Henry of Prussia on the occasion of his visit to Boston came up for action in the House today Representatives Carey of Haverhill and McCartney of Rockland, both Democratic Socialists, made impassioned speeches against the measure. The order was passed by a rising vote, only the two members who had spoken against it rising in the negative.

Dowieite Dies; Police to Investigate.

The police of South Chicago have been notified of the death of Mrs. Ollie E. Merrifield, [illegible] Ninetieth street, and are prepared to investigate it. Mrs. Merrifield was one of the followers of Dowie. She died yesterday of consumption. Mr. Merrifield, husband of the woman, refused to say whether or not she had been attended by a physician.

$33 to California, Oregon, and Washington. Chicago and Northwestern Ry. daily March and April; only $6 for berth in tourist car. Personally conducted excursions Tuesdays and Thursdays. Illustrated pamphlet sent on receipt of two-cent stamp. Address S. A. Hutchinson, [illegible] at ticket office, 212 Clark street.

DRAPE BUILDINGS TO HONOR PRINCE

Local Restaurants to Decorate for Crowds Unable to Attend Ball.

UNABLE TO FILL ORDERS.

Honore Palmer Announces the Forty Chosen as Floor Committee at the Dance.

QUADRILLES NOT ON CARD.

Now is the busy season for the decorator—the man who covers the fronts of buildings with artistic drapings of bunting and flags and transforms the interior of public meeting places. The coming visit of Prince Henry already has caused a heavy run of business for the dealers in decorative stuffs, created work for hundreds of men and women, and taxed the abilities of the best designers in the city, so general is the determination to do honor to the distinguished guest.

Not a few of the principal resturants of the down-town district are preparing to make the day of Prince Henry's arrival a gala occasion. They will emphasize the spirit of hospitality by special menus and elaborate decorations, which will appeal to thousands of patrons who will have no opportunity to participate in the banquet at the Auditorium and the luncheon at the Germania club.

Decorators Behind in Orders.

An indication of the extent to which the decorative fever has spread was given yesterday by James Gamble Rogers, who has charge of the work to be done at the ball in honor of the Prince at the Auditorium. Although nearly a week will elapse before Prince Henry comes to town, it has been found necessary to have some of the decorations for the ballroom manufactured at Milwaukee. Local decorators are said to be so far behind with their orders that this step had to be taken.

It will cost $6,000 to decorate the ballroom according to the designs of Mr. Rogers, and the work will all be done within the space of nine hours. Two hundred workmen will invade the big theater at noon on March 3, and by 9 o'clock the transformation will be complete.

Outside of the decorations authorized by the Executive committee, which are to be more extensive than generally understood, private citizens are getting ready to make a display. Residents of the Lake Shore drive, Lincoln Park boulevard, and other principal streets on the North Side on which Prince Henry will travel when he goes to Lincoln Park have been aroused by a request from the Executive committee asking them to decorate their residences, and many have promised to do so in an elaborate manner.

Stock-Yards or University?

The question of whether Prince Henry will visit the Stock-Yards or the University of Chicago remains unsettled, with the chances apparently in favor of the Stock-Yards. Dr. Harper of the University of Chicago appeared before the Reception committee at its meeting in the afternoon, and is understood to have submitted a plan of entertainment for the Prince in the event of his visiting the university, but pending the receipt of information from Ambassador von Holleben it was not formally considered.

Plan for Prince's Safety.

The Germania club is planning to take extraordinary precautions to insure the safety of Prince Henry while he is the guest of that organization. The plans were disclosed to the Executive committee yesterday in a report from the Germania committee, stating that the clubhouse would be cleared of every inmate early on Tuesday morning preliminary to an investigation by the police from the wine cellar to the garret. The club employés then will pass an inspection and will be given special badges before they are allowed to return to work.

Eight of "the Finest" on Guard.

Prince Henry's personal safety will be looked after by eight Central station detectives while he remains in the city. They were selected yesterday by Captain Gibbons of the Central detail, upon whose shoulders Chief O'Neill has shifted all responsibility for the police arrangements. The detectives selected are Peter S. O'Connell, Joseph J. Barry, John Rohan, Louis Custy, William Morgan, J. Homer, Lawrence Howe, and James Ballentine. They will keep a constant guard over the royal party, and by their correct attire endeavor to avoid being conspicuous.

The luncheon which the Germania club will give in honor of the Prince will be attended by but fifty club members, according to the report. The other 150 persons who will partake of the luncheon will be the entire suite of the Prince, the German Ambassador, Walther Wever, Mayor Harrison and a representation of the City Council, and the members of the General Executive committee.

Floor Committee for Ball.

The Floor committee, on which will depend the real management of the ball in Prince Henry's honor, was announced yesterday by the Ball committee, of which Alderman Palmer is chairman. Forty men, under the direction of Frederick B. Tuttle, chairman, will handle the affair. The committee follows:

Frederick B. Tuttle,	Stanley Field,
Edson Adams,	Richard Folsom,
Edward Adams,	Milton J. Foreman,
Charles Ailing,	Colin C. H. Fyffe,
Edson Armour,	Walter D. Gregory,
Alfred S. Austrian,	William Preston Harrison,
Henry Beneke,	Robert S. Hotz,
John J. Bradley, U. S. A.	Harold A. Howard,
Robert J. Cary,	Edward R. Heimsler,
Charles R. Corwith,	F. C. A. Junkin,
Alfred Cowles,	John C. King,
Rensselaer W. Cox,	John W. Lowe,
F. Cramer,	Julian Mason,
George Dewey,	Maj. Frank B. McKenna, U. S. A.,
Maurice F. Eddy,	Clive Runnels,
Henry Eidmann,	George Sheehan,
Jesse Erskine,	A. O. Slaughter Jr.,
Waldo Evans, U. S. N.	George H. Taylor,
William Farquhar,	Edgar J. Uihlein,
Walter Farwell,	Ernest Walker.

No Place for Square Dances.

The ball program contains twenty-four numbers, and the square dance will be conspicuous by its absence. The waltz and two-step will alternate through the evening, and but one example of rag-time music will greet Prince Henry's ears. That will be when Johnny Hand's orchestra plays "Creole Belles." The promenade music will be given by the First Regiment Military Band, drum, and bugle corps, under the direction of Joseph Hostrawser. The program will be as follows:

"My Fiancée"	Wesley
"Fiorodora"	Stuart
"Bleu"	Margis
Seventh Army Corps	Weldon
Prince Henry"	Saliman
The Gainsborough"	Rosey
Phantome"	Jung't
Mobile France"	Brown
Southern Roses"	Strauss
Koch Hohenzollern"	Turrah
Strollers"	Englander
Prince Charming"	Innes
Gypsy Baron"	Strauss
The Admiral"	Hostrowser
Waking of the Winds"	Hall
Creole Belles"	Lampe
Il Fiore d'Italia"	Stefano
Koch Hohenburg"	Kral
King Dodo"	Luders
Hurrah, Boys"	Lacalle
Maid Marian"	De Koven
First Brigade"	Weldon
Tout en Rose"	Waldteufel
Meteor"	Ballman

Music Program for Banquet.

The musical program for the banquet at the Auditorium on Monday evening has been arranged as follows, and will be given by Tomaso Mandolin Orchestra:

Masters' March	Penn
	Margis
Aire	Corrales
	Arranged by Tomaso
Sandra	Bray
Thanksgiving	Frey
	Hirsh
	Tomaso
	Lorraine
	Jones

HENRY MAY VISIT CANADA

KAISER MAKES SUGGESTION TO KING EDWARD.

Trip Would Do Much to Clear Away Hard Feelings Engendered by Recent Intervention Controversy — British Press Lectured for Showing Jealousy — Emperor William Is Highly Gratified at Success of His Brother in United States.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Feb. 26.—A rumor is current here to the effect that Emperor William, desiring to remove the anti-British complexion of Prince Henry's visit to the United States, suggested to King Edward that the latter invite the Prince to extend his visit to Canada. King Edward, it is said, adopted the suggestion, and an invitation to visit the Dominion has therefore been sent to Prince Henry.

Rebukes British Press.

The attitude of the English newspapers towards the visit of Prince Henry of Prussia to the United States has called out a rebuke from the Westminster Gazette, which cautions the responsible papers against a continuance of a policy whereby Great Britain is placed in the awkward position of seeming desirous of making bad blood between Germany and the United States, while putting in a claim for gratitude on her own account, on the score of past favors.

The paper then proceeds to sound a note of warning against carrying resentment towards Germany to the point of endeavoring to make mischief between Germany and another power, "in view of the already strained relations occasioned by the zig-zag policy of the government, which threatens to place Great Britain in a position of antagonism to both Germany and Russia."

Kaiser Highly Pleased.

BERLIN, Feb. 26.—The details of the movements of Prince Henry and the courtesies shown him in the United States continue to be followed here with extraordinary interest, and the pleasure of Emperor William at the reception of his brother has been freely expressed to members of the royal household.

In official circles it is considered that the Emperor has personally accomplished by sending Prince Henry to the United States what it would have taken years to do otherwise.

An inspired statement has been published by the German press with double leads. It says:

"The highest political circles are immensely pleased at the excellent course, up to the present time, of Prince Henry's visit. The conviction is entertained that these festive days will substantially contribute toward rendering the relations of the two countries permanently friendly, and especial delight is expressed at the cordiality of the personal intercourse between President Roosevelt and Prince Henry."

Miss Alice Roosevelt yesterday cabled to the Emperor:

"The Meteor has been successfully launched. I congratulate you and thank you for your courtesy to me and send you my best wishes.

"ALICE LEE ROOSEVELT."

Red Eagle for Ambassador.

The Emperor has conferred the order of the Red Eagle of the first class upon Dr. von Holleben, the German Ambassador at Washington. Prince Henry has the insignia of the order with him to confer on the Ambassador.

New League Progressing.

Prominent merchants, sociologists, and educators of Germany will be among the members of the proposed American-German league for the preservation and promotion of mutual understanding and friendly relations between Germany and the United States, for the formation of which steps have already been taken.

Pope Did Not Mention Visit.

ROME, Feb. 26.—Señor Terella, the Costa Rican Minister here, when seen today concerning the published report that the Pope, in an audience yesterday, had referred to the visit of Prince Henry to America as the greatest event of the new century, said there was no truth in the statement; that the Pope had not mentioned Prince Henry, and that the conversation between the Pontiff and himself during the audience referred to was confined entirely to the Pope's jubilee and to Costa Rican affairs.

MAX O'RELL MAKES RULES FOR COLLEGE COEDUCATION.

Declares That Men and Women Students Should Be Kept Much Apart and Observe Rigid Decorum.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—Max O'Rell, the famous authority on all things feminine, who is visiting the University of Michigan, dictated the following today as his views on coeducation:

"Men students may not:

(1) "Meet women students by appointment or walk with them.

(2) "Accompany women students to and from the college.

(3) "Walk with women students in the college grounds.

(4) "Visit women students in their lodgings or receive visits from them.

"Reasonable intercourse between men students and women students is permitted:

(A) "At authorized social meetings within the college.

(B) On the college fields during the progress of sports and games.

(C) "In the college itself for business connected with either college societies or with class work."

The statement concludes by stating that adherence to those rules is necessary to the existence of a healthy social life in the college.

NEW BELL OF KNOX COLLEGE IS STOLEN DURING NIGHT.

Relic Cast from Metal of Old Bells Spirited Away on Eve of Dedicatory Exercises.

Galesburg, Ill., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—The new Knox College bell was stolen from Alumni Hall last night, and the theft has created a great sensation among students and citizens.

The bell weighed 650 pounds, and was recently recast from the metal of the old college and academy bells. The dedication of the bell was to take place tomorrow under the auspices of the senior class. The oration was to be delivered by Dr. John H. Finley of Princeton, formerly President of Knox, and addresses were to be given by well known men.

Detectives have been put on the case. The belief is that the bell was spirited away by some of the lower classmen. The only clew is afforded by dray wheel marks.

WANTS MONEY LOST AT POKER.

John R. Gordon, a Michigan Legislator, Sues Bank for Cashing Check He Gave in Game.

Niles, Mich., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—John R. Gordon, a member of the Legislature, has sued the Lansing State Savings Bank for $1,000, paid by the bank on a check given by Gordon to settle losses in a poker game. The legislator says the check was not dated and given on Sunday.

LAUNCHING OF THE KAISER'S YACHT AT SHOOTER ISLAND TUESDAY.

[From photographs taken especially for THE TRIBUNE.]



PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, PRINCE HENRY AND STAFF DESCENDING FROM PLATFORM AFTER THE LAUNCH



THE METEOR SLIDING INTO THE WATER

DRIVES CANADIANS OUT

AMERICAN COLLECTOR AT SITKA DEFIES TREATY WITH ENGLAND.

J. W. Ivey Telegraphs to the Treasury Department at Washington That He Has Sent Dominion Officials, with Their "Baggage, Flag, and Other Paraphernalia, Flying Out of the Country"—Issues Orders to Deputy at Unalaska.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—J. W. Ivey, Collector of Customs at Sitka, Alaska, sent a hot-tempered telegram to the Treasury department announcing that he had expelled the Canadian customs officers at Skagway and sent his "baggage, flag, and other paraphernalia flying out of the country."

Ivey, in his telegram to the Treasury department, accuses the Canadian official of interfering with American officers in the discharge of their duties, of opening United States customs mail, of establishing a Canadian quarantine, and of performing other acts of British sovereignty in a port of the United States. In concluding his message, Ivey says:

"You may fear the shadow of international complications and rescind this order, but a Reed, an Olney, or a Blaine would not."

Collector Ivey also instructed his deputy at Unalaska not to permit Canadian vessels presumably about to engage in pelagic sealing to obtain supplies at that port. This order the Treasury department rescinded.

Ivey telegraphed the Treasury department today refusing to rescind his order. His telegram is as follows:

"My instructions were not against vessels engaged in alleged legal seal fishing but against Canadian vessels actually engaged in pelagic sealing, which is illegal and criminal when committed within the marine jurisdiction of the United States.

Says Tear Up the Treaty.

"If there is an ancient treaty between the United States and Great Britain by which British subjects can commit depredations, destroying American property, and depleting our revenue of tens of thousands of dollars annually, while our own citizens are denied these privileges, the sooner such treaty is abrogated the better.

"Your solicitude regarding international complications with Great Britain need cause you no uneasiness, as the poaching season is not yet opened. Your new collector will arrive in time to enforce your orders. My Americanism will not allow me to rescind an order which gives British subjects privileges within our marine jurisdiction which are denied our own people.

"There is another matter that may attract your attention. I have recently issued orders to the deputy at Skagway, a copy of which has been sent you, which has put the Canadian officer located there out of business and sent him to his own territory.

Expels Canadian Officer.

"You are aware of the fact that this officer became so offensive that he interfered with American officers in the discharge of their official duties, opened United States customs mail, dominated over the railway officials, discriminated in the order of shipment in favor of Canadian merchandise against that shipped from Seattle, established a Canadian quarantine at Skagway, collected moneys, and performed other acts of British sovereignty in a port of the United States, such as hoisting with bravado the gross of St. George from the flagstaff of his customhouse. I have sent the concern, bag, baggage, flag, and other paraphernalia flying out of the country."

MAN IN BED SHOT BY MOB

NORTONVILLE, ILL., VIGILANTES CARRY OUT THREAT TO KILL.

Woodford Hughes, Who Was Ordered Out of Town and Warned Never to Return, Goes Back—Crowd Surrounds Home of Friend with Whom He Stopped, One Person Enters the House and Shoots Head Off the Sleeper.

Jacksonville, Ill., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—Woodford Hughes, a resident of this city, was shot to pieces while sleeping in the house of his friend, Baker Seymour, near Nortonville, at 2 o'clock this morning by one of a mob that surrounded the house.

Hughes had been ordered out of Nortonville, and told never to return. He went there on business yesterday, and his enemies, learning that he was at Seymour's house, four miles from the town, determined to carry out their threats.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour retired at midnight in one bedroom of their home, and the other was given to Hughes. Both rooms were on the ground floor.

Masked Man Kills Hughes.

At 2 o'clock Mrs. Seymour heard a noise and a moment later a masked man entered the door, quickly advanced to Hughes' bedroom, and emptied the contents of both barrels of a shotgun into him. The shots were followed by a fusillade from the outside that riddled the windows of Hughes' room.

The assassin ran out through the door and was seen to join two men who were waiting at the gate. The three ran north on the roadway, and it is supposed they mounted horses concealed in the woods nearby and were off.

Run for Help in Night Clothes.

The Seymours were terribly frightened and ran in night clothes to the nearest neighbor's house, an eighth of a mile away, to give the alarm. It was not long until a number of men had gathered at the house, and an investigation in Hughes' room showed that his head had been blown off. Even the ceiling was splattered with blood. Coroner Reynolds was notified and an inquest has been commenced, but is not yet completed.

Threatened to Kill Four Men.

Hughes had many enemies in the neighborhood, and had been known to swear four men there would some day die by his hand.

Last August Hughes was accused of shooting James Sweeney, who was riding along a country road with a friend of his, who was an enemy of Hughes. Some one fired at them from ambush, and the bullet struck Sweeney in the head, and for months he was in a hospital. When the trial came up, in December, the evidence against Hughes was not sufficient to convict him.

The shooting excited the entire neighborhood, and stirred up bitter feeling against Hughes. An attempt or demonstration to lynch him was once made, but he escaped after his house was surrounded by an angry mob.

Warned Never to Return.

An organization was effected in Nortonville of sixty-five men and boys, sworn to drive Hughes from the county if he ever appeared in Nortonville again. The organization sent a message to Hughes, warning him never again to set foot in Nortonville if he valued his life. He gave heed to this advice and opened a small butcher shop here, and did not go near his former home until Tuesday, when he determined to travel to the vicinity of Nortonville and see a man about buying some cattle. He felt sure his presence would not be known and that no harm would come to him.

He finished his cattle deal late in the evening and then went to the home of Baker Seymour, four miles from Nortonville, to spend the night.

Hughes came to this county from Kentucky four years ago. He was 37 years old and left a wife and one child.

BRIBERY CHARGE PROVEN

H. A. TAYLOR CONVICTED IN GRAND RAPIDS.

Was Accused of Furnishing Lant K. Salsbury with $75,000 to Secure Contract for $4,000,000 Water Works—Trouble Over Money in Chicago Leads to Opening of Inquiry Into Entire Affair—One of Men Involved Turns State's Evidence.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—Henry A. Taylor, the young Connecticut millionaire who furnished the money in the scheme to secure a contract from the City of Grand Rapids for a Lake Michigan water supply, was found guilty tonight of conspiracy to bribe city officials.

The jury, which went out at noon-yesterday, reached an agreement tonight at 8 o'clock, returning a verdict of guilty as charged, after deliberating thirty-two hours.

Judge Newnham entered an order holding the Taylor bonds of $5,000 until tomorrow morning.

Thomas F. McGarry, who is still on the sick list, will be next tried on the charge of bribery.

The conviction of Taylor follows the trial and conviction last December of Lant K. Salsbury, City Attorney of Grand Rapids, on the charge of accepting a bribe of $75,000 from Taylor for his assistance in pushing through a deal whereby the City of Grand Rapids was to award to Eastern capitalists represented by Taylor a $4,000,000 contract for furnishing the city with water from Lake Michigan.

First Clew in Chicago.

The indictment of Salsbury, Taylor, and others followed the indictment of Salsbury in Chicago on the charge of the larceny of $50,000 from K. C. Barton, a capitalist of Omaha, Neb., who found the money he was to pay Salsbury for the water contract had been prematurely abstracted by the latter from a safety deposit vault to which both had keys. Barton's money was returned to him by Salsbury the day after the Cook County indictment was found. The publicity given this deal resulted in an investigation at Grand Rapids, which uncovered Salsbury's dealings with others.

Many Involved Indicted.

Those indicted last summer by the Grand Rapids grand jury were, besides Salsbury and Taylor, Thomas F. McGarry, lawyer for Taylor; Stillson V. McLeod, ex-Manager of the Grand Rapids Clearing-House, and Gerritt Albers, a young attorney of Grand Rapids.

It was shown in the grand jury investigation that Taylor, who recently inherited $2,000,000 from his grandfather, entered the deal on representations that a fifty-year contract for furnishing the city with water might be secured from the city council by an outlay of $75,000, and Taylor sent the money to Grand Rapids.

McLeod turned State's evidence and confessed his share in the deal, giving important evidence against Taylor.

Chief Knight's Sway Nearing Its End.

Chief of Police Knight of Evanston has announced that his resignation as head of the Evanston Police department will take place tomorrow night. The resignation was tendered the Evanston Council and Mayor Patten several weeks ago. Mayor Patten says he has selected no one to take Chief Knight's place.

Charleston, S. C., Exposition. Excursion Rates.
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SUICIDE OF BOY SAVES GIRL'S LIFE

His Eagerness to Die Forestalls the Intent to Murder First.

LOVE CAUSES THE ACT.

Henry Rennie Earns Too Little Money to Wed Loretta Shanahan.

SECOND YOUTH SEEKS DEATH

By ending his own life Henry A. Rennie may have saved the life of his sweetheart, Loretta Shanahan. Melancholy because of his inability to save enough money from the wages he received as an apprentice to enable him to marry the girl, Rennie had determined they would be happier together in death than parted in life.

Strong in this belief, he left her home, 1143 West Eighty-seventh street, at 10 o'clock on Tuesday night, and going to his home, four blocks away, procured a revolver. But when he returned to Miss Shanahan's house an hour later she had retired and the suitor was refused admittance. Then Rennie trured the weapon against himself and fell dying on the doorstep of her house.

Sweethearts Since Childhood.

Young Rennie was the son of Robert H. Rennie, principal of the Walter Q. Gresham School. He was 19 years old. He and Miss Shanahan had been sweethearts since childhood. They had graduated from the Gresham School in the same class. Though she was a Catholic and he a Presbyterian, there was no parental objection to their marriage on this account. He was employed as an apprentice in the South Chicago shipyards.

The young man's depressed disposition was exhibited last Saturday evening when he visited his sweetheart. During the earlier part of the evening he appeared in good spirits, but later, according to members of the Shanahan family, he began to act strangely. It now appears that he then contemplated the death of both the girl and himself.

Then again on Tuesday night, it is believed, he had a similar intent. After the young man's body was found on the doorstep of the Shanahan house the police found the following letter addressed to his sweetheart:

Darling Lory: When you get this I will be dead and gone. Live a good life, for I have brought this on myself. Take and keep as a memory of the boy who loved you, even if he is wrong, all the money you have of yours. It is necessary for me to take this course, now that when I went back with my hands empty your whole family turned against me. I will take the gun from Burnett's pocket and come to your home. Tell father I have tools and $19.60 coming to me from the company. Good-by, love. God be with you, as I love you. Come, darling, and see my face before it is gone. Pray for me and have mass said. But, love, come, do come, and see me just once. Your lover, HENRY.

Testimony at Inquest.

An inquest was held yesterday morning and a verdict of suicide while despondent was returned. In her testimony Miss Shanahan said:

"On Saturday afternoon we were at luncheon together down-town. At that time he had the revolver with him and showed it to me. On Sunday when he was at the house he repeated the threat. When he was at the house last night the first time he was tired and nervous. He paced up and down the room. When he came back the second time he had his hands in his pockets, and I thought he had the revolver with him. He said he didn't. When he came back the third time I was awake, but mother wouldn't let him in and he went away. I heard the shot after a time. We were engaged."

Letter Recalls Threats.

After Rennie had left Miss Shanahan's house on Sunday she wrote him a letter which was introduced as evidence at the inquest. In it she asks him to be thankful that she had the strength to dissuade him from his intention to kill both of them on the previous day. The letter read:

Chicago, Feb. 24.—Dearest Henry: Did you arrive home safely and without any delay last night? I sincerely hope that you did, because you were very tired. I guess that we were all tired last night. I was as tired as I could be. Lucille was so tired that she could not move. She had an awful pain in her side. I asked mamma what time she went home, and she said it was 2:35. You were certainly ready to retire by the time you arrived home. No matter how tired we were, we had a fine time, didn't we, dear?

Henry, have you thought it over your conduct of yesterday? Now, please do not be put out at my mentioning it to you, dearest, but I want you to meditate over it, and in that way, sweetheart, I think you will be able to correct yourself and do better. Just think of it! If God hadn't given me the strength I had yesterday you and I would be no more. Wouldn't that be terrible? Henry, this world is not all pleasure; we all have our ups and downs, and I think that soon we will have our pleasure and enjoy it all the more because it was so hard for us to obtain. My two cousins are in from Mendota. They are going to stay all night, so I will not have time to write any more this time, love. Now, good-night, my dear husband, with love and kisses. Your LORA.

P. S.—Sweetheart, do not forget to thank God that we are alive and uninjured today, and ask him to help you conquer your temper so that our path will be a little smoother. Good-night, dear.

Follows His Mother to Grave.

Grief over the death of his mother caused 14-year-old Charles Homer Anderson of 11949 Butler street, West Pullman, to end his life early in the morning with poison. His mother died last November, and since then each succeeding day had seemed less joyous to the boy. The two had been inseparable companions. His body was found in his bed at daylight by his father. By his side were two small empty vials which smelled of chloroform. An unaddressed letter near read:

"Life has lost all its charm for me since my beloved mother departed from this life of sorrow. And when this you find I will be no more in this world. Last: Please see that all the money left me by my mother will be turned over to my father. Please let my friends know of my death."

The mother had $4,000, which she left her son. The boy's father, Charles Anderson, is the manager of the brass department of the Pullman car works.

CUPID AT QUEER PRANKS

THORNS RULE IN DAY OF ROMANCE ON SOUTH SIDE.

Police Asked to Help Victims Whose Faith Is Shattered — Jealousy, Fickleness, and Desertion Figure in List of Causes for Heart Rackings and Quarrels—One Reconciliation Effected in Court, the Only Ending with Ray of Sunshine.

Love's pathway on the South Side seems to be full of thorns, and those traveling that way have been sore tried. The police in that section yesterday were kept busy evolving remedial potions to fit the various cases laid before them. Jealousy, fickleness, and desertion are some of the troubles. Victims who laid bare their hearts' wounds to the police during the day were:

Ackler, Louis, suitor of Miss Nellie Matthews; shot by her in the leg, which previously had been injured in a railroad accident; she says he was too ardent, and she didn't like his limp.

Fitzgerald, Miss Nellie, Twenty-third street and Wentworth avenue; accuses Edward Lynch, to whom she was engaged, of stealing and pawning her engagement ring; cause, probably needed the money.

Howard, James P., brakeman, Garfield boulevard and Shields avenue; recently married, but on returning to his house found his bride and household furniture gone.

Roth, Charles, Forty-seventh street and Ashland avenue; accuses Eugene Moss, 4637 Laflin street, of wrecking his home; wife repents; reconciliation.

Watts, Mrs. Sarah, 525 Forty-fourth place; charges J. T. McGaughey, 494 Forty-eighth street, with attacking her; cause, jealousy.

Jealousy Causes a Black Eye.

Mrs. Watts told the Hyde Park police and offered a black eye and other bruises as evidence supporting her statement that McGaughey, who is a traffic agent for the Great Northern railroad, saw her returning home from a theater with another man, and expressed his disapprobation by a personal attack. He also devoted some of his energies against her companion. The police are trying to find McGaughey.

Miss Fitzgerald told Justice Duggan that Lynch borrowed her engagement ring a week ago, and that she learned he had pawned it. Lynch was in court, and on his promise to restore the property the case was dismissed. He is 21 years old and the girl is 19.

Wife Gone; Knows No Reason.

Howard, who is employed on the Wabash road, informed the Stock-Yards police that he was unable to account for his wife's actions. He said he had been married but a short time, and knew of no reason why his wife should desert him. He said she left no note or explanation, and asked the police to try and find her for him.

Ackler is in the County Hospital as the result of his experience with Miss Matthews, and she is locked up at the Hyde Park station. The shooting occurred yesterday afternoon in J. S. Edelstine's flat at 5215 Kimbark avenue, where the young woman is employed. The couple had quarreled frequently, Miss Matthews at one time receiving a stab in the wrist, she says, from Ackler. Miss Matthews is 23 years old and Ackler is several years older.

Reconciliation in a Court.

Roth is a night watchman at Forty-seventh street and Ashland avenue. In Justice Fitzgerald's court at the Stock-Yards Police Station yesterday he accused a supposed friend of wrecking his home. The defendant, Eugene Moss, 4637 Laflin street, was fined $5 and promised not to interfere with the aggrieved man's happiness in the future. Roth told the court that his wife had deserted him with their three children ranging in age from 4 to 12 years. When the case was called the wife repented and a reconciliation followed.

RUNAWAY TRAIN OF CARS PUNCHES HOLE IN A HOUSE.

String of Passenger Coaches in Grand Trunk Yards Coasts Down Switch and Through Building.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—A runaway empty passenger train in the Grand Trunk yards punched a hole two stories high and wide enough for two trains to pass abreast through the brick wall of the Lake Shore freight office this morning. The train ran through an open switch and promenaded directly into a large room of the Western Union Telegraph company, where it scattered the furniture of the office and narrowly missed crushing four of the employes.

Two laborers were slightly injured. The passenger coach that did the damage was on a repair track which ends at the wall of the freight office. Three men were lying under the wheels of one truck when the passenger train escaped and ran through the switch. Two men hung to the trucks and were pushed into the wall along with the car.

Suspect Crime in Woman's Death.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 26.—The inquiry into the death of Mrs. Nellie Leets leads the authorities to suspect foul play. Evidence shows that the woman was struck down and fire applied to her clothing afterwards.

Tolstoi in No Immediate Danger.

YALTA, Crimea, Feb. 26.—All immediate danger of the death of Count Tolstoi is passed.

MARRIES THE PASTOR WHO WON HER FROM ANOTHER.

Jessie Strang of Millburn Carries Out Her Determination to Become the Wife of the Rev. George Mitchell.

Jessie Margaret Strang, the Millburn girl who a short time ago broke her engagement vows with young Alfred Spafford and caused him to return hurriedly from Denver to plead with her, yesterday became the wife of the Rev. George Albert Mitchell, pastor of the Millburn Congregational Church. The wedding took place in the church and was attended by half the town.

Miss Strang had been engaged to young Spafford for some time. Last year the Rev. Mr. Mitchell came to town and soon became attracted by Miss Strang, who was the church organist. Spafford was absent in the West, and the result was that the new minister supplanted him in Miss Strang's affection.

Early this year, when the girl broke her engagement to Spafford and announced her troth with the minister, Spafford hurried on from Denver, but could not change the girl's determination.

South Chicago Fire Causes Alarm.

Fear that a fire in a grocery at 9225 Commercial avenue, South Chicago, would spread through a number of frame stores late last night resulted in a call for extra engines. The fire did not spread from the grocery. The loss was $2,500.

Rheumatism more painful in this climate than any other affliction, cured by prescription No. 2,851, by Elmer & Amend.

SAYS HE KILLED RICE FOR MONEY.

Valet Jones, Testifying in Patrick Case, Admits Telling Many Lies.

ACTOR SUED FOR DIVORCE

William Faversham's Wife Asks Court to Give Her Absolute Freedom.

GENERAL NEW YORK NEWS

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, New York, Feb. 26.

In the Patrick murder trial today the cross-examination of Charles F. Jones, the valet, took up both sessions of court and was not finished when court adjourned in the afternoon. The feature of the day was the admission by Jones that he had told four stories concerning the death of Millionaire Rice. Three of these were that Lawyer Patrick had killed the old man. The other was told to Assistant District Attorney Osborne and was the same that Jones told the present jury. This was that he killed Mr. Rice by giving him chloroform. The defense brought out today, however, that Jones had told this last story after Mr. Osborne had told Jones he had proof Patrick was not in the house when Mr. Rice died.

Valet Admits He Told Many Lies in Rice Case.

In answer to questions Jones said Mr. Rice had been kind to him and he had entered into a conspiracy against his benefactor because of the money Patrick had promised him.

"Mr. Rice was kind to you, wasn't he?" was asked.

"Yes."

"He took you when you were without work and made a man of you?"

"He did."

"Yet you were ready to enter into a conspiracy with a man to rob and murder your benefactor?"

"Yes, if Patrick paid me the money he promised."

"You want this jury to believe that, for the sum of $200 given to you by a stranger, you entered into a criminal conspiracy to rob your employer of $2,500,00, the amount he would lose if he lost the litigation over Mr. Rice's will?"

"Yes, if you call it conspiracy."

In explaining why he told so many stories Jones said he sought to protect himself and get out of prison. The defense tried to show that the prosecution of Patrick was a conspiracy in the District Attorney's office, and attempted to show that Jones had been promised immunity from punishment if he would testify against Patrick. Jones said he had not been promised immunity, but said he had never received any notice that he was indicted for any of the crimes to which he confesses, and that he understood from Mr. Osborne that if he wanted any consideration shown him he must tell a story that would stand investigation, and that his attorney told him he would receive some immunity.

Jones admitted he lied to his father about the case, that he tried to deceive his lawyers, and that he made false statements to the District Attorneys until confronted with the facts.

Mrs. William Faversham, wife of the actor, has begun proceedings in a suit for absolute divorce against her husband. Application is to be made at once for the appointment of a referee. William Faversham has held a conspicuous place before the public for the last ten years. His first big New York hit was made as Prince Emil in Bronson Howard's "Aristocracy," and while he was leading man at the Empire his most popular successes were scored in "Lord and Lady Algy" and "Brother Officers."

Faversham's Wife Sues for Divorce.

Sir Philip Burne-Jones, who arrived today by steamship Oceanic from Liverpool and Queenstown, is the second Baronet and son of the famous painter, Edward Burne-Jones. He is a cousin of Rudyard Kipling. Twenty-four of his paintings are coming in the Philadelphia, due on Saturday. Among the collection is "The Vampire." Sir Philip said he had come to work, and would establish a studio in one of the cities he expected to visit. It might be in Boston, New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, or Washington. He said:

Painter of "The Vampire" Arrives from England.

"No, 'The Vampire' does not refer to Mrs. Pat Campbell or to anybody else. It's just a picture."

A strike involving 1,500 men has been ordered on the buildings of a large contracting firm in this city. It affects carpenters, painters, steamfitters, plumbers, and plasterers. The trouble is an outgrowth of friction between the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners and the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners.

Strike Involving 1,500 Workers Is Ordered.

Mrs. Collis P. Huntington, who arrived today from Liverpool, declared she had $75,000 worth of personal effects, chiefly dress goods, bought abroad. The duty was $31,800 and she paid it promptly. This is the highest duty ever paid by one individual on personal baggage.

"Tom" Sharkey, who is accused of conducting a disorderly house above his saloon at 144 East Fourteenth street, was arraigned in the Yorkville court today and held in $1,000 bail for a further hearing on Friday. Sharkey's place was raided last week, but Sharkey was out of the city. A warrant was issued for his arrest and today Sharkey gave himself up at police headquarters. At the request of Sharkey's counsel the case was adjourned until next Friday.

"Tom" Sharkey Is Held in $1,000 Bail.

President Roosevelt has decided to spend a week in April trout fishing in the Allegheny Mountain streams in Garrett County, Md., sixty miles west of Cumberland. The President has engaged quarters twelve miles from Oakland, the county seat.

Messrs. Wolmarans and Wessels of the Boer delegation in Europe, who arrived on the Rotterdam, were met by Montagu White and President Kruger's former pastor at Pretoria. Together with Dr. Mueller, who arrived on Feb. 16, Messrs. Wolmarans and Wessels will enter into direct relations with the pro-Boer committees in the United States, with a view to mutual understanding and organization, and to audit on this side of the water the sums received from Boer sympathizers. Dr. De Bruyn, secretary of the Boer delegation, also was in the party. They will remain here a few days and then go to Baltimore and Washington.

Boer Delegates Arrive from Europe.

It is now believed that Florence Burns used her father's pistol in shooting Brooks. The father was well known as a starter at athletic games, and always used the same pistol. If it cannot be found it will be a point against the girl. The parents and sister of Florence now are not to be found, and the District Attorney accuses the defense of bad faith in not producing them.

Pistol Sought as Evidence in Brooks Murder.

E. W. GROVE.
This name must appear on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets, the remedy that cures a cold in one day. 25 cents.

FEROCIOUS FILIPINO LEADER CAPTURED.



GENERAL LUCBAN

General Lucbar, the "terror of Samar" and the man who planned the massacre of American soldiers on that island, is a prisoner. His capture is regarded as the most important event since the taking of Aguinaldo.

WAGE WAR ON DISCORDS

MUSICIANS WANT TO REFORM THE PUBLIC HALL PIANOS.

Say Their Horns Are Ruined by Efforts to Create Harmony and Propose That an Official Tuner Be Appointed to Regulate the Offending Instruments—Engineers Call for Reform in the Laundries and Quote from a City Ordinance.

War on discords is being agitated by the Chicago Federation of Musicians. It is proposed that a chief tuner and a corps of assistants be selected to overhaul every piano in use in Chicago's public halls.

The musicians say cornets pitched low have been ruined by efforts to harmonize them with a high-keyed piano. Violins fare some better, but the musicians say that when the strings are stretched to their limit there is no harmony.

"It is absolutely necessary to have some standard by which the musician may know what is required of him," said Thomas F. Kennedy, President of the Chicago Federation of Musicians. "At present two kinds of instruments are required for orchestral playing. This could be remedied by the establishment of a standard in all the halls. Uniformity can be obtained by having the same tuners visit all the halls."

Girl Clerks as Pickets.

Fifty retail clerks, mostly girls, went hungry last evening that they might picket a store at Blue Island avenue and Nineteenth street. They gave away cards until a squad of patrolmen compelled them to move away from the door. Then they took up a position nearby where they could command the entrance. Every prospective customer was hailed in the language he understood, the clerks using English, German, Polish, and Bohemian, until the patron turned away convinced that he ought to do what they desired.

The demonstration was due to the refusal of A. Weisskopf to join in the early closing movement of the Blue Island avenue merchants.

"We've gone hungry tonight to come directly from our work and make this fight," said Emma Schultz, secretary of the Clerks' union, "and we'll keep it up. This store is the only one that is holding out."

"I wouldn't lock my store if they'd bring me a golden key on a silver platter," said Weisskopf.

Demand a Laundry Reform.

The Engineers' Progressive association is sending out notices to laundry proprietors informing them that after March 10 the attention of all engineers must be confined exclusively to their duties as engineers. The notice calls attention to the city ordinance which requires that a licensed engineer shall give his whole time to the steam plant in operation under his charge.

PRINCESS HELD AS FORGER.

Woman Accused of Issuing Notes with Fraudulent Signature of Cecil Rhodes Attached Is Arrested.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

CAPE TOWN, Feb. 26.—The Princess Radziwill, who has bbeen accused of issuing notes to which the signature of Cecil Rhodes had been forged and who settled one claim of this kind for $5,750 two weeks ago, has been arrested on the charge of forging Mr. Rhodes' name to the bills. She was remanded for a further hearing and afterward released on bail. The Princess was arrested on information sworn to by Dr. Scholtz, who put in an affidavit of Cecil Rhodes in support of his case.

Expansion.

The rapid growth of the business of the Paris Laundry Co., located at 244 Thirty-first street and 155 East Huron street of this city, made it necessary for Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Shaw, who have so successfully carried on the business for the past ten or twelve years, to associate with them some outside aid that they might be relieved of some branches of the business and enable them to give more attention to the actual turning out of their work, and thereby maintain the high reputation that the business has always enjoyed.

To that end they have associated with them Messrs. H. L. Bushnell and K. E. Morgan of this city.

Mr. Bushnell has for the past ten years been the Western representative of the A. T. Hagen Laundry Machinery Co., with headquarters in this city, in which business he has been very successful and is familiar with the laundry business in general. He will resign from his present position and give his entire time to the business of the Paris Laundry Co., and will be a strong "spoke in the wheel."

Mr. Morgan is not a stranger to the laundry business, having been for several years the President and manager of the American Steam Laundry Co. of St. Louis, Mo., and of the Morgan Steam Laundry Co. of New York, both large and successful concerns. He is also connected with the Brooks and Central Laundry companies of this city.

Mr. Shaw says that there is to be no change in the management of their business or officers of the company; that Mrs. Shaw and himself will devote all their time as heretofore to the business, but the recent establishment of their North Side plant and the great increase in the volume of their work made it imperative for them to have some assistance, and he is satisfied that the "reinforcement" will be a decided benefit as well as a relief.

GEN. LUCBAN IS CAPTURED

LEADER OF FILIPINO INSURGENTS IN SAMAR CAUGHT.

Lieutenant Stribler's Scouts Run Ferocious Guerrilla to Earth and Officials Think Rebellion Will End—American Deserter Who Has Been Making Ammunition for Natives Taken with His Tools—Breckinridge Talks of the Islands.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

MANILA, Feb. 26.—General Smith reports that Lieutenant Stribler's scouts have captured General Lucban, the important insurgent leader, in the Island of Samar, and that he has been imprisoned at Laguan. The authorities here are delighted at this news. They consider that it means the climax of the insurrection in Samar.

Laguan is the capital of a small island of that name, north of Samar.

General Chaffee has ordered that Lucban be treated as a prisoner of war of officers' rank.

Chaffee Reports the Capture.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—General Chaffee today notified the War department that Lieutenant Stribler of the Philippine scouts captured General Lucban on Feb. 22. The prisoner is confined at Laguan.

Another capture is that of William Dunston, said to be a deserter from Company C, Eighth Infantry, who had in his possession a lot of arms and ammunition, and all of the tools necessary for the making of ammunition. He was captured by Second Lieutenant Pratt, First Infantry, at Caghayan, on the Island of Samar. The Lieutenant also destroyed the cuartel and the factory, and killed eleven soldiers, besides capturing all of Dunston's correspondence.

Capture of Lucban Important.

The officials of the War department regard the capture of Lucban as the most important military event since Aguinaldo's capture. He was run down on the Island of Samar. The place of his confinement is a small island in a bay on the north coast of Samar.

Lucban is one of the most energetic and ferocious of rebels. He is a half-breed, a mixture of Chinese and Filipino stock, and he has been an irreconcilable from the first. He had various fastnesses in the mountains of Samar. from which he would descend upon the coast towns, and his reign of terror was so complete that the population of the island paid tribute to him as the price of freedom from attack.

Ordinary campaign methods failed in his case, and his capture now is believed to be the natural working out of the system of dividing the island into small squares by military garrisons and making it impossible for the insurgents to obtain food or shelter.

Breckinridge Tells of Islands.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 6.—Brigadier General J. C. Breckinridge, Inspector General of the United States army, returned on the transport Hancock from a tour of inspection of the Philippine Islands. In discussing the situation in the Philippines he said:

"The island cannot be said to be entirely pacified, for a certain amount of guerrilla warfare is going on. After the rains are over I expect the soldiers will penetrate to the interior and bring about peace."

BOERS CAPTURE EMPTY CONVOY

Kitchener Reports Severe Engagement South of Klerksdorp—British Defeat Attempt to Rush an Outpost.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Lord Kitchener telegraphs the War office that an empty convoy from the column of Major von Donop, at Wolmaranstadt, was attacked by the Boers about a mile south of Klerksdorp and, after severe fighting, was captured.

The escort consisted of the Fifth Battalion of the Imperial Yeomanry and three companies of the Northumberland Fusiliers, with two guns. No details have been received. The Boers are being pursued.

In a dispatch to the War office under yesterday's date Lord Kitchener says Colonel Ryng reports that 600 Boers who were driving a herd of cattle attempted to rush the British outpost line south of Bothasburg on last Sunday night. Some of the Boers got through by abandoning everything. The New Zealanders behaved with the greatest gallantry. The Boers left fifteen dead and six wounded on the field.

DEFENSE SUMS UP HAVANA CASE

Senor Zayas Continues Argument in Postoffice Hearing, Saying Reports Are Unreliable.

HAVANA, Feb. 26.—Señor Zayas continued his summing up for the defense in the postoffice cases today. He said the reports were unreliable. The only inference was that the accounts were in such a chaotic condition that it was impossible that a trustworthy set of figures could be arrived at. Señor Zayas said Reeves' testimony was worthless, as he had made misstatements.

MISS STONE TELLS OF HER CAPTIVITY

Declares the Bandits Treated Her Well During Time She Was Prisoner.

IS PLEDGED TO SECRECY.

Will Soon Start from Salonica with Mme. Tsilka and the Baby.

WASHINGTON IS INFORMED.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

SALONICA, Roumania, Feb. 26.—Miss Ellen M. Stone and Mme. Tsilka will start without delay from Salonica, Macedonia, for Constantinople. In the meanwhile the liberated missionaries are staying at the missionary headquarters, where they are receiving the congratulations of their colleagues.

Miss Stone says the brigands swore both of their captives to absolute secrecy regarding any information calculated to establish the identity of the brigands, the location of the places where they were concealed, or other facts likely to compromise their captors. As a matter of fact, the prisoners themselves are uncertain regarding many details of their wanderings. They did not know, when they were released, in what section of the country they were.

How Captives Were Set Free.

An arrangement had been made to release Miss Stone and her companion near Seres, Macedonia, where Dragoman Gargiulo and Mr. House were waiting for them, but the brigands, owing to timidity or otherwise, declared it was too difficult to carry out the plan and brought their captives, after a hard night's march, within one and a half hours' distance of Strumitza. The two women were left under the shelter of a tree at 3:30 in the morning of Feb. 23.

The bandits pointed out the direction of the village and ordered the captives to report themselves to the village elder, who, on learning of their identity, would provide for them. The brigands then turned back and disappeared among the hills.

Ride Away on Horses.

Miss Stone and her party traveled on horseback from Strumitza to the nearest railroad station, a journey lasting five hours. The local missionaries and many of the inhabitants of Strumitza accompanied the party for some distance, singing hymns.

Mme. Tsilka's baby was carried in a blanket by a servant, who dismounted from his horse at the most difficult portions of the mountain road.

Received All Her Letters.

Miss Stone says that she duly received all the letters Mr. House sent her during her captivity. Upon one occasion she sprained her knee by falling thorugh a trap door in a dark room. She was Mme. Tsilka's only attendant at the birth of the latter's baby.

Miss Stone also says that the brigands always treated them well. They built a hut for the prisoners on the mountain, provided horses for them when they traveled, and carried Mme. Tsilka's baby whenever they were allowed to do so. The brigands never came into contact with the troops, although the party was obliged to halt a few times while, on false alarms, Miss Stone's captors made preparations for action.

Compliment the Envoys.

The brigands especially asked the women to convey their congratulations to M. Gargiulo, Mr. Peet, and others for the ingenuity displayed in the payment of the ransom.

As the party from Strumitza reached the top of the Chipelif Pass, nearing the railroad, the travelers were surprised by the sudden appearance of M. Tsilka, and there was an affecting meeting between husband and wife. M. Tsilka was then presented with his baby.

To Visit America Soon.

LONDON, Feb. 27, 3 a. m.—A dispatch to the Daily Express from Vienna says that Miss Stone will go to the United States next summer.

State Department Notified.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—The State department this morning received a cablegram from Minister Leishman at Constantinople containing the first official announcement it has had of Miss Stone's release.

Mr. Leishman cabled that Miss Stone was suffering from fatigue and nervous strain.

Now that the captive is released, the State department does not hesitate to announce its full approval of all that has been done toward effecting the release by Minister Leishman and Spencer Eddy, the Secretary of Legation and Chargé, and by Consul General Dickinson.

Secretary Hay has personally expressed to Mr. Eddy his appreciation of his conduct. Whether Mr. Eddy will return to Constantinople or not is for himself to decide.

May Not Move to Punish Bandits.

The department finds it impossible to determine upon the next step to be undertaken in this case. There is reason to suspect that pledges have been given by Miss Stone and by the rescuing agents which will much complicate any efforts to secure the punishment of the brigands. If no such promises have been given then the State department will promptly call upon both Turkey and Bulgaria to pursue the brigands to the point of extermination.

EX-GOV. HOGG AS AN OIL KING.

Texan in London Floating His $4,500,000 Company and Dining with Nobility.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Feb. 26.—The Texas Oil Field company, organized by ex-Governor Hogg of Texas, has been floated. It is capitalized at $4,500,000. The directors have not yet been announced.

Mr. Hogg says that the company's properties consist of Spindle Top gushers producing 400,000 barrels of oil daily, with a reserve of sixty wells that have not been touched, and 10,000 acres of oil land elsewhere in Texas and Louisiana.

Mr. Hogg is a lion in society. He dines with the nobility nightly.

RIOT AT ROUMANIAN CAPITAL.

Two Thousand Workmen Try to Force Entrance to Parliament and Battle with Troops.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

BUCHAREST, Feb. 26.—Two thousand artisans attempted to force an entrance into Parliament to assert their grievances. They were resisted by the Roumanian troops, and a prolonged struggle in the court yard ensued. The workmen did not retire until they had been charged by a regiment of cavalry. Over 200 arrests were made.

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ROSEBERY IN NEW LEAGUE

LIBERAL ORGANIZATION TAKES DEFINITE FORM.

Policy Based on Chesterfield Speech but Is Not Antagonistic to Members of Orthodox Party—Rumors of Rosebery-Chamberlain Coalition Stopped as Soon as Started—Coronation Regulations Far from Settled and Causing No End of Confusion.

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[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Feb. 27, 3 a. m.—Persistent rumors of a Rosebery-Chamberlain coalition have been dispersed by the announcement of the formation of a Liberal league with Rosebery as President and Asquith, Sir Henry Fowler, and Sir Edward Grey Vice Presidents. The object of the new organization is to carry out the policy enunciated in the famous Chesterfield speech. The first action of the league has been to issue a manifesto declaring that those Liberals who adhere to the Chesterfield policy have no intention of severing themselves from the orthodox party. The declaration is sufficiently emphatic to preclude any possibility of misconception. The greatest possible interest is being taken in the new movement on the part of Rosebery, and speculation as to the consequences is rife. It does not, however, seem likely that the new league will be in any sense hostile to the existing organizations which form the machinery of the Liberal party, although it must inevitably mean the extinction of the Liberal Imperialist league.

Declares War on Irish League.

George Wyndham at Dover last night announced the intention of the government to fight the United Irish league with the crimes act. He spoke with great warmth in saying that was the only way to deal with the present exigencies and future hopes of Ireland.

Balfour's retirement was foreshadowed by a half-penny prophet yesterday as the inevitable result of a breakdown in health and that Chamberlain and Hicks-Beach were brought atilt for the leadership. This silly story was based upon exaggerated reports of Balfour's illness. It is learned from the highest authority that Balfour's attack of illness has not been serious and that he will return to his place in the Commons on Friday and has no thought of retiring from public life.

Coronation Still a Muddle.

The coronation remains a maze of undecided details, especially as to all points of costuming. Even peeresses are uncertain how they shall have robes and underdress made or how they are to wear their tiaras and coronets. The Earl Marshal is beset with inquisitive ladies of rank and fashion and cannot answer with authority questions from the embassies respecting trains and costumes. The uncertainty is illustrated by the plight of the academician who has arranged to paint a portrait of a great lady in her coronation robes. The portrait is half finished, but the coronation costume cannot be painted in for the summer exhibition at Burlington House. Every detail of the coronation ceremony is subject to royal approval. Precedents of various reigns are being compared, and numerous changes already ordered mark a reversion to forms followed in the coronation of George IV., the most ornate of the whole series.

The Lord Mayor of London, for example, will be a conspicuous figure, standing in the abbey not far from the King and bearing the crystal scepter, as when George IV. was crowned.

Victory of Ambush Popular.

The King's victory at Kempton Park was a most popular one. Not only was Ambush a hot favorite for the steeplechase, but the royal colors implied a continuance of his powerful patronage of the turf throughout the present reign.

Canada After Settlers.

The work connected with the emigration branch of the Canadian government officers has been thoroughly reorganized by Deputy Minister of the Interior Smart, and the new policy has been introduced. The result is an enormous increase in correspondence and inquiries from a desirable class of emigrants respecting the resources of the Dominion. The Laurier government is making unexampled efforts to attract British settlers to the fertile prairies of western Canada.

Majuba Anniversary Dark.

The twenty-first anniversary of Majuba Hill and the second of Cronje's surrender at Paardeberg finds England apprehensive with regard to the latest news from south Africa.

Kitchener's two telegrams which are published this morning fail to give sufficient details for adequate comment, but it is feared that there has been a serious British reverse in the western Transvaal and that at least 400 men and two guns have been captured. Fighting occurred near Klerksdorp in Delarey's country. I. N. F.

HIGHER GRAIN RATES VOTED.

Reichstag Committee Takes Step in Direct Opposition to Government Recommendation.

BERLIN, Feb. 26.—The Tariff committee of the Reichstag adopted the compromise amendment to the new tariff bill, regarding the corn duties, in spite of strenuous opposition by the government members. The vote on the amendment was 14 yeas to 10 nays.

The compromise amendment passed by the Tariff committee raises the minimum and maximum rates on wheat to six and seven and a half marks per thousand kilograms, respectively, and on oats and barley to five and a half and seven marks per thousand kilograms, respectively.

ICE PACK IN SUSQUEHANNA FLOODS TOWN OF COLUMBIA.

Electric Light Plant Partly Submerged and Town in Darkness — Brooklyn Hospital Center of Lake.

Lancaster, Pa., Feb. 26.—Columbia has the worst flood in recent years. The ice on the Susquehanna broke today, formed a jam, then the water backed up. It entered the boiler-room of the electric light plant, drowning the fires and leaving the town in darkness. If the rise continues the lace mills will be damaged and the two rolling mills of the Susquehanna Iron company put out of operation. At midnight the river was still rising.

Long Island Is Flooded.

New York, Feb. 26.—Floods which have been caused throughout Long Island by the heavy snowfalls and rains of the last ten days became serious today.

The hospital for contagious diseases on Kingston avenue, Brooklyn, was flooded today. There was six feet of water in the boiler and engine rooms, and it was impossible to make fire in either of the boilers of the engines. Gas stoves were used to heat the wards, in which there were many patients.

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CEREMONY IN PANTHEON.

President Loubet and Famous Men Assemble in Paris to Pay Tribute.

MONUMENT GIVEN TO CITY.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

PARIS, Feb. 26.—The Victor Hugo centenary, marking the hundredth anniversary of his birth, was a national holiday in France, and Paris outdid itself in the way of celebrating.

Two notable official ceremonies were held today, one at the Pantheon and the other in the Place Victor Hugo, where the monument of the author was formally presented to the city. The celebrations will continue through Sunday, the intervening days being devoted to receptions of foreign delegations, representations from Hugo's works, concerts, and other functions.

President Loubet Opens Fete.

The opening ceremony within the Pantheon was under the auspices of the government. President Loubet, M. Waldeck-Rousseau, the Premier, and the other members of the Cabinet, the members of the Senate and the Chamber of Deputies, representative delegations from the Institute and other state bodies, including leaders in art, science, and literature in France, and deputations from the various lycées and educational institutions were present.

The United States Ambassador, General Horace Porter, sat in the front row of the seats set apart for the diplomatic corps.

Beneath the center of the dome rose, from out a cluster of palms and flowers, the bust of Victor Hugo by the sculptor David d'Angers. A few steps behind the bust was a little platform, from which the artists of the Comédie Française recited verses from the poet's works. Seats for the Senators, Deputies, academicians, and the other principal guests were ranged around the nave, about 5,000 persons in all being present.

A privileged position between the bust and the front of the President's tribune was reserved for about ninety young men and girls, selected from various schools to typify the youth of France.

The decoration of the interior of the Pantheon, for which Parliament voted 80,000 francs, was simple but impressive, blue being the dominant color.

Ministers Deliver Eulogies.

The ceremony began shortly after 10 in the morning and was concluded at 11:45 a. m. The program included eulogistic orations by M. Leygues, Minister of Public Instruction, and M. Hanotaux, President of the Institute; recitals of several of Victor Hugo's poems by members of the Comédie Française, and the rendering of hymns, based on Hugo's works, by M. Delmas of the Opéra and a choir of 180 men and women. The band of the Republican Guards and an orchestra numbering 100 persons performed the instrumental part of the exercises.

Lectures in French Schools.

In all the public schools of France the day was celebrated by lectures on the life of France's national poet and by readings from his works by the professors.

Statue of Author for City.

There was an immense concourse in the afternoon to witness the inauguration of the monument to Victor Hugo, erected on the Place Victor Hugo, in the Passay quarter, within a stone's throw of the house, 124 Avenue Victor Hugo, in which the poet died.

The square, the surrounding buildings, and the tribunes erected for the spectators were gayly bedecked with flags and bunting. This was a municipal fête, at which the monument was officially handed over to the City of Paris, and it was, consequently, presided over by the President of the Municipal Council, who had beside him as guests of the city President Loubet and the members of the Cabinet.

Addresses were delivered by the President of the municipality and the chairman of the Monument committee, glorifying the memory of Victor Hugo.

The monument, which is the work of Louis Barrias, is in bronze and stone. It represents Victor Hugo seated on a rock, with Drama and Poetry at his feet offering him a lyre.

Plans for Following Days.

The square and the adjacent thoroughfares, and also the Place de l'Hotel de Ville, will be iluminated this evening.

The fêtes will be continued tomorrow by a concert and reception in the Hall of Festivities, and the other salons of the Hotel de Ville and the building and place will again be illuminated.

On Friday the foreign delegates will be entertained by the municipality and taken for a drive through Paris.

A grand ball is to be given by the municipality in the Hotel de Ville on Saturday night.

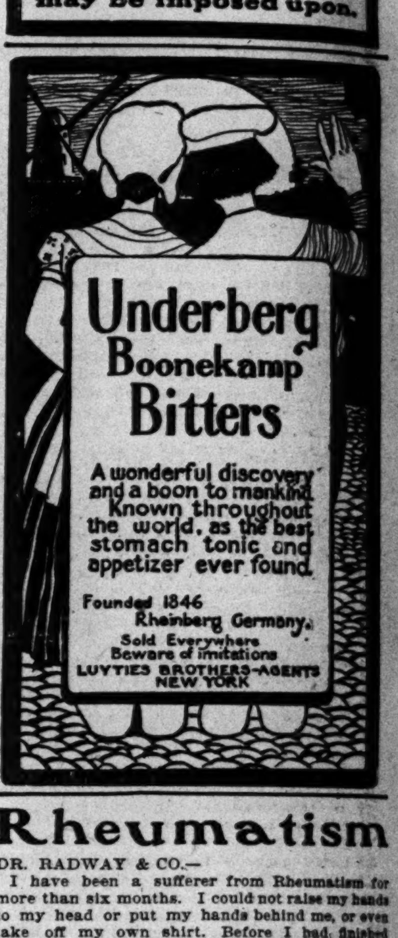
NEAR A LYNCHING IN ENGLAND.

Angry Mob at South Shields Seeks Life of an American Sailor Under Arrest for Murder.

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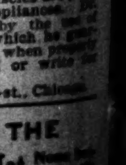
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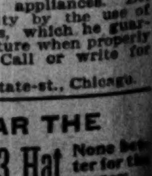
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ROME TO JUDGE CHICAGO CLERGY

Troubles and Scandals in Archdiocese Not Taken Up by Martinelli.

HIS SUCCESSOR MAY ACT.

Coadjutor for Archbishop Feehan Thought to Be Most Likely Outcome.

NEWS OF NATIONAL CAPITAL

WASHINGTON BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.

Martinelli Not to Investigate Chicago Affairs.

Cardinal Martinelli, the Apostolic Delegate, has declined to take personal action on some serious charges reflecting upon the administration of affairs in the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Chicago and, inferentially, of course, upon the executive capacity of Archbishop Feehan. The Cardinal is obliged to leave for Rome before long. He was made a Cardinal on May 5 of last year, and it is customary for every one who has received that great honor to make a visit to Rome within one year. Cardinal Martinelli is, therefore, awaiting the arrival of his successor, and is disinclined to enter upon an investigation now which would have to be continued by the new delegate.

At the same time he takes the ground that the Apostolic Delegate is not a court of last resort, but is more of an arbitrator and adviser. The charges which have been filed here, however, have proven to be so numerous and so scandalous, and have been backed up by such reputable citizens as to create something in the nature of a sensation.

The Cardinal has been informed that certain priests of the diocese of Chicago have been leading improper lives. The charges do not attempt at all to make any allegations of general immorality against the priesthood. Quite the contrary is true. The men who sign the memorial received by the Cardinal are the authorized representatives of the Catholic Laymen's Association of Chicago, which has branches in almost every parish in the city.

The memorialists are, therefore, all good churchmen, and the object of the movement is not to attack the body of the priesthood but rather to insist that certain black sheep shall be disciplined or dismissed to preserve the good name of the hundreds of faithful, God-fearing priests who are an honor to the diocese.

Rome to Act on Scandals in Archdiocese.

In view of his speedy departure, and particularly on account of his theory as to his apostolic powers, the Papal Legate has decided to refer the whole matter to Rome. The last memorial presented to him cites specific instances of intoxication and immorality which are vouched for by responsible citizens. The Cardinal has, therefore, decided that there should be an investigation of some sort, and that this must be by the direct authority of the Pope. There have been within the last month many visitors here from Chicago, including a number of the Suffragan Bishops of the archdiocese, and they have all taken the ground that some steps must be taken at once to put a stop to the disquieting rumors out in Chicago. This movement is indirectly, of course, aimed at Archbishop Feehan, but not at all through any personal hostility to him. On the contrary, Cardinal Martinelli has been assured that the men who signed the memorial are jealous for the reputation of the church, and are only anxious that some restraining influence be exercised upon a dangerous element which seems to have crept into the church.

One of the memorials received here explains the situation by saying "there is apparently no one here who has the authority and, at the same time, the courage, the disposition, to suppress these abominable evils. They have existed so long and are known to so many of the faithful, and the efforts heretofore made to invoke the active intervention of the local authorities of the church have so utterly failed that we can only appeal to your Eminence."

Nowhere in the memorial is there the slightest attack upon the Archbishop, but some of the personal visits to the Cardinal have fully developed this feature of the situation.

Coadjutor for Archbishop Is Suggested.

One of the specific things it has been decided to refer to Rome concerns the grave question as to whether the administration of affairs at Chicago has been sufficiently vigorous, or whether, by a lack of executive ability, the Archbishop has not allowed certain evils to grow up which he would be the last man to permit. In the personal remonstrances made to the Cardinal it has been represented that the Archbishop, through advancing age and increasing physical infirmity, has been unable or unwilling to apply severe discipline, with the result that the scandals and abuses have demoralized the church to a certain extent and have aroused the loving concern of many of its best and strongest members. It has not been charged at all that the abuses are general, but it is alleged that in certain specified instances the Archbishop has failed to punish individual members for flagrant intoxication and immorality, and thus has allowed individuals to cast reproach upon the whole body of the priesthood.

The presentation of the case to Rome, therefore, involves the possibility of the appointment of a coadjutor to Archbishop Feehan, and matters have progressed sufficiently so that the name of Father Walter Eliot, the famous Paulist priest, has already been mentioned for this delicate position. He is an ascetic missionary priest of known probity and executive ability, and it has been suggested to the Cardinal that the appointment of some such person as this would be likely to restore order and stop all possible scandals.

The whole matter, it is understood, has been referred to the Holy Father, with the idea that when Cardinal Martinelli's successor as delegate apostolic shall arrive he will be provided with authority in advance to investigate affairs at Chicago, even if it becomes necessary to take some authority out of the hands of the Archbishop.

Landis Says He Has Star Route Plan Beaten.

Representative Landis of Indiana is making an informal canvass of the House to ascertain the sentiment of the members in regard to the proposition to place the rural free delivery system on a contract basis in place of the present organization. When Mr. Landis is not securing any pledges from members he is fully convinced that he has the proposition "beaten to death," as he aptly expresses it, and confidently predicts that when Chairman Loud attempts to secure the adoption of the measure he will meet with overwhelming defeat.

"This proposed change is not only uncalled for, but is unwise," said Representative Landis. "It will be a great mistake to change the present plan, and will open the door for innumerable frauds and scandals. The only continuous scandal that has attached to the Postoffice department was that growing out of the star route contract system.

"I predict without hesitation that if we return to the system which was instrumental in blackening the reputations of so many persons and reflecting so much discredit upon the government, there will be a repetition of these scandals, but on a much larger scale. While it is true that the proposed law does provide that more than one contract shall not be let to one person, thus preventing the bidding in of a number of contracts and subletting them at a lower figure, it does not require that the mail shall be delivered by the person to whom the contract is awarded."

Good Service Must Not Be Destroyed.

"There will be a degradation of the service," said Representative Landis, "if this contract system should be agreed upon, as it would be possible for a person to secure a contract for carrying the mail and sublet it to a person or persons who happened to own a starved-out horse and a degenerate wagon. It would result in reducing the wages of the men who actually carried the mails and tend to cheapen the country. This is not a cheap country, and at this late day it should not pursue a course which would make it possible to have its service performed at starvation wages.

"The rural delivery service was an experiment a few years ago, and it has proved to be a phenomenal success. The country people are proud of it and so are the city people. Congress has no more right to let the rural delivery service on the contract system than it has the city service. The people are outraged that such a proposition should even be advanced. During the last campaign I rode twelve miles with a star route carrier, who drove that distance every day to deliver mail and received the miserly compensation of 30 cents, while the man who was awarded the contract received three times that amount for doing nothing.

"If Congress adopts the contract system in connection with the rural delivery service I predict that the condition of affairs cited above will be common. The men who perform this service are entitled to a reasonable compensation. They should have good horses and vehicles, such as would be a credit to our great government. This is not a cheap country, and I resent the attempt to make it so."

Considerable surprise is manifested here at the opposition developed against the renomination of Mr. Landis. He is looked upon as one of the leaders of the House, and has desirable committee assignments, the result of continuous service, which makes a member valuable to his constituents.

Mrs. Roosevelt sufficiently recovered from the fatigue of her hasty journey to New York to attend the launching of the Emperor's yacht to receive several who called during this afternoon. Among those who tarried with Mrs. Roosevelt for a visit were the Italian Ambassador and Signora Mayor des Planches. Miss Alice Roosevelt returned to Washington tonight accompanied by her aunts, Miss Carow and Mrs. Cowles, with whom she remained in New York to attend the opera last night.

Illinois Towns Entitled to Carrier Service.

Galena, Princeton, Dwight, and Morgan Park, Ill., are now entitled to have the mail of their citizens delivered by letter carriers, and if these cities take the proper steps they will be given this service on July 1. According to the report of the auditor for the Postoffice department the postal receipts at each of the cities named has reached the $10,000 figure. When this point has been reached or when the population of a town is 10,000 the same carrier service that is in effect in the large cities should, according to law, be given to the smaller ones. In order to secure this, however, the citizens of the cities named should petition the Postoffice department for the desired service.

Inspectors will be sent, and, if local conditions justify—that is, if the streets are paved and other requirements exacted by the department are found to exist, then the service is ordered to be put into effect. The reports of the Postoffice department, more than anything else in the hands of the government, show how far-reaching has been the great wave of prosperity which has swept over the country. It has invaded every section, including the black belt of the South.

The postal receipts are the surest indication of business prosperity, and upon these receipts are based the improvements of the service. In 1897 there were only 450 cities in the United States which were entitled to letter carrier service, but today they number 900, showing an increase of 50 per cent since the panic. During the last fiscal year 200 officers have been given this much sought for service, and they are about evenly divided between the Northern, Southern, Eastern, and Western sections of the country.

Theodore Roosevelt Jr. has so far recovered from his serious illness that he was allowed to sit up in bed for a while today. He is still weak, and no definite time is fixed for him to sit up. He has made rapid progress toward recovery under the care of Mrs. Roosevelt, who gives him her personal attention.

Bicycle Squad to Guard the Prince on Drives.

Major Sylvester, the Chief of Police, issued an order today assigning a squad of bicycle policemen to accompany Prince Henry in his travels about Washington during his second visit here. When the Prince was here on Monday he expressed the wish that in paying his official calls he should not be accompanied by a squadron of cavalry. Instead he asked for a few bicycle policemen. The Prince's carriage was driven rapidly from place to place on his round of visits, and the bicycle policemen were obliged to go at a fast pace to keep up with it. As the streets were full of slush and mud the bicycle men were bespattered from head to foot.

Nearly all of them had on their best uniforms, which were practically ruined. Prince Henry noticed the plight of his escort, and when he returned to the embassy he expressed his regret through Ambassador von Holleben.

The boundary dispute between Chile and the Argentine Republic, which nearly resulted recently in war between the two countries, has been amicably adjusted, according to advices received at the State department from Mr. Wilson, the United States Minister at the Chilean capital. The last obstacle to a satisfactory agreement was removed by the concession of the Argentine government concerning the regulation of police service in the disputed territory.

Senator Mason left this morning for Chicago, where he will deliver an address at the banquet to be given by the Hamilton club tomorrow night.

Conference Agrees on Census Bureau Bill.

An agreement has been reached by the conferees of the Senate and House on the bill providing for a permanent census bureau. There were few differences between the two Houses, the principle ones being over the salary of the director, which was finally fixed at $6,000. As agreed upon, the bill places all the employés of the census under the civil service blanket, and they are consequently eligible to transfer to other departments of the government without passing a civil service examination. The clerks of the Census office are thus given an advantage over those now on the eligible list of the Civil Service commission, who passed examinations in the regular manner required by law.

If President Roosevelt approves the bill it will be possible to transfer any of the Census clerks to the other departments, as when a clerk or other employé is needed in any branch of the government to which the civil service laws apply it will only be necessary for the proper official of the department to request the transfer of a clerk from the Census bureau.

GIRL WHOSE WEDDING PLANS ARE UPSET.



BLANCHE YOUNG

Miss Young, who is only 16 years old, came to Chicago yesterday from Battle Creek, Mich., to wed Frank Falter of Eagle, Wis., whom she never had seen. Through a misunderstanding the lovers failed to meet, and last night they were detained at the Harrison Street Police Station. There is no charge against either of them, and the case is a problem to the police, who hesitate to take the responsibility of allowing so young a girl to marry a stranger.

JUSTICE SAVES CHILDREN FROM RUNAWAY.



A. J. SABATH.

Justice A. J. Sabath braved possible serious injuries yesterday by springing to the bridle of a runaway horse to save school children from being trampled beneath the animal's hoofs. He was jerked from his feet and dragged a rod or more before swinging the animal's head and bringing it to a stop at the curbing. In the struggle Justice Sabath's hat was smashed and his clothing torn. The act took place near St. Francis' Parochial School, Newberry avenue and Twelfth street, where a number of children were playing in the street in front of the building. His Honor was on his way to the Maxwell street police court at the time. A number of spectators who saw the rescue cheered the act. The horse was attached to a delivery wagon from a down-town store.

WOE INSTEAD OF WEDDING

POLICE UPSET THE ROMANCE OF A 16-YEAR-OLD GIRL.

Blanche Young Comes to Chicago from Battle Creek to Marry Frank Falter of Eagle, Wis., but They Fail to Meet and Are Locked Up Pending a Solution of Their Perplexing Problem—Woo Through an "Ad" and Have Never Met.

Blanche Young, 16 years old and uncommonly pretty, came to Chicago last evening to wed a man whom she never had seen and whom she knew only through a correspondence which had its origin in a matrimonial "ad."

The girl's plans went amiss, and last night she was detained at the Harrison Street Annex. In a cell in the police station, near by, was Frank Falter, who was to have become the girl's husband. He came to the city to keep his appointment with her, but by a few minutes they missed each other.

There is no charge against either the man or the girl, and the case offers a problem to the police. Falter apparently wants to marry Miss Young, and Miss Young expresses willingness to take the name of Falter. Objections have been raised, however, to the marriage of so young a girl under such circumstances as attend the case, and the police do not know whether to send the girl back home or to allow the wedding to proceed.

Falter is 25 years old and works on his grandfather's farm near Eagle, Wis. Miss Young is from Battle Creek, Mich.

Cupid Balked by Police.

The girl reached Chicago at the Michigan Central Station at 6 o'clock, and because of a misunderstanding as to trains failed to meet Falter, who came to Chicago in the morning. She was taken in charge by the police, who then began a search for the Wisconsin youth.

Falter, who was neatly attired and wore a large buttonhole bouquet, was found at Twelfth street and Michigan avenue three hours later by Sergeant Mooney. When arrested he admitted he had sent Miss Young money with which to pay her fare to Chicago, but said he had done so in good faith and was willing to carry out his part of the matrimonial agreement.

"I'll meet the girl," he suggested, "and if I like her I'll marry her. That's fair, isn't it?"

The police were not inclined to dispense hasty judgment on the case, and their perplexity was further increased when they found that the swain from the lumber regions was possessed of just $10.

Girl Is Bound to Wed.

While Falter was trying to accustom himself to the pine bench in his cell his sweetheart, in the nearby annex, was told of his arrest.

"It's a shame!" the Michigan girl cried. "Why, he hasn't done anything. It isn't a crime to want to get married when the girl is willing, is it?"

"I'll never go back to Michigan—the police can depend on that. They might as well let us be married first as last. What if Frank has got only $10? That's enough to take us to his home in Wisconsin, and he isn't afraid to work."

Miss Young seems not to doubt for a moment that life would be one sweet dream with this youth she never has seen.

"I'm sure Frank is all right," she explained. "His letters are too sweet for anything. When he asked me to marry him I said 'Yes,' because I was not happy at home and wanted to get away from there.

"These people here say I'm too young to marry. Well, I'll show them. It's none of their affair, and I'd like to see them stop me. I won't go back to Michigan—that's sure. My parents are separated and our home is broken up."

Falter Belies His Name.

The willful Miss Young formed her attachment for the venturesome Mr. Falter through the agency of an advertisement inserted in a Chicago publication by her sister.

"Wanted, to correspond with some nice young man," ran the "ad." Falter apparently thought he filled the bill, and straightway shipped his heart to Michigan as fast as the mails could transport it. The Eagle boy's offering miscarried, for, instead of reaching Miss Bertha Young, to whom it was addressed, the letter was opened and answered by Blanche Young, the girl now in Chicago.

Other letters were hurried backward and forward, and in his fourth missive Falter belied his name and popped the question.

Letter No. 5 from Falter contained money to pay railroad fare to Chicago and a promise to meet the girl at the station here. Then came the misunderstanding—and the police.

New Marshal for Arizona Chosen.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—The President has decided to appoint Myron McCord, former member of the House of Representatives from Wisconsin, Marshal of Arizona, in place of Benjamin Daniels, whose commission was recently revoked.

MAYOR AT WAR WITH REVIEWERS

Board Declines to Attend Conference and Bitter Words Follow.

BUDGET CUT TO LIMIT.

Controller's Figures Used Practically on All the Departments.

"TIN GODS" SAYS HARRISON.

(Continued from first page.)

although when there was talk of attacking the Juul law the board said if it were let alone it would raise the total to $500,000,000."

Fred W. Upham of the Board of Review took exception to Mr. Harrison's remarks.

"The Mayor is 'four-flushing,'" said he, "and his talk is ridiculous. The board could not attend the conference for the good reason that it had a previous engagement for the same hour with the committee of the underwriters, an appointment which was kept by both parties. I will say for myself personally, and I think for the other members of the board, I would have been glad to be there, as I could have been able perhaps to learn from the bankers in attendance the whereabouts of much personal property the board is anxious to unearth. We might have been able to give the Mayor some information also.

"The cold fact is the Mayor is trying to make real and personal property pay all the taxes in Chicago, deliberately refusing to get the revenues from street railways and other corporations, which could be made to pay were he to do his duty. It is possible to derive from these sources between $3,000,000 and $4,000,000 a year, but the city administration refuses to insist on its collection. Were this income given the city it would have plenty of money and not be continually crying for piling up the assessments on real and personal property.

"If the Mayor wants a conference with the Board of Review it will be easy enough for him to get it. He must show the board, however, the common courtesy of consulting it as to the time the conference is to be held, and must not send over a peremptory summons for us to appear before his august presence at a time when we have other engagements."

Reviewers Refuse a Promise.

At the meeting of the Underwriters' committee and the Board of Review the insurance people asked the members of the board the same question the Mayor wished them to answer before the bankers and property-owners. It was whether they could promise an assessment of $500,000,000 this year, the underwriters desiring to use the answer, if favorable, in urging an increase of the appropriation for the Fire department before the Finance committee.

In reply the board said no such promise could be made.

"We told them," said Mr. Upham, "that we would do the best we could to put all the taxable property in Chicago on the assessment lists, but further than that we could not go. We could not agree arbitrarily to raise values in order to bring the assessment up to a certain sum, but if it were possible to do so by the discovery of new property and the legitimate increase in values we would be glad to do it."

The underwriters afterwards went before the Finance committee and that body refused the request for an additional appropriation for the Fire department. In fact, the underwriters were informed that the appropriation would be decreased in view of the assumption that the Board of Review would not increase the assessment materially this year.

All Departments Cut.

As the bill stands now the Fire department is cut to about $1,500,000, or $100,000 less than it had last year. There is an appropriation for five new companies, but it is a contingent one, depending on the city's unexpectedly finding itself with a much larger income than was anticipated.

The Police department is also cut to $3,100,000, or less than last year, and not only will there be no additional policemen but some of the present ones will have to go.

The Street department is hard hit. The Controller's estimate of $1,000,000 has been adopted, and there will be $275,000 less to spend than last year. In this connection the announcement was made that it was the intent of the department to spend the bulk of this money for garbage collection purposes. The work of cleaning the streets will be slighted and practically performed only when emergencies exist. The Health departments gets a severe blow. It is allowed only a little over $150,000, against $223,000 last year. Dr. Reynolds declares this means the retention of only such employés as are absolutely necessary to safeguard the health of the city. Tenement and similar inspectors will have to go, and even the smoke inspector is threatened. The dismissal of the fish inspector was the first thing determined on when the cut was anticipated two days ago.

The Electric Lighting department is in a similar fix, and the Civil Service commission must get along with $27,000, instead of $32,000.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT ON CITY WATER.

GOOD LAKE VIEW. GOOD CHICAGO AVE. GOOD 14th ST. GOOD HYDE PARK.

Rogers Park, Central Park, Austin, and Springfield avenue, good.

Lake View station supplies all territory north of Fullerton avenue. Chicago avenue station supplies all territory between Fullerton avenue and Kinzie street. Fourteenth street station supplies all territory between Kinzie and Thirty-ninth streets, and Hyde Park all territory south of Thirty-ninth street except the Stock-Yards. The Rogers Park station supplies the district from Devon avenue north to the city limits.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday:

Illinois and Indiana—Rain Thursday and probably Friday, fresh southeast winds, becoming northwest.

Wisconsin—Rain Thursday, Friday fair in west, rain in east portion, colder, fresh east winds, becoming northwest.

Iowa—Rain Thursday, with colder in west portion, Friday fair in west, clearing in east portion, northwest winds.

Minnesota—Rain Thursday, Friday fair, except rain in northeast portion, lower temperature, fresh to brisk northeast winds, becoming northwest.

Place of observation: Time taken: Feb. 26, 8 p. m.	Thermometer	Max. temp.	Direction of wind	Precipitation 24 hours	State of weather
Abilene	60	76	S.W.	.01	Clo'dy
Albany	42	44	N.W.	.02	Clo'dy
Alpena	34	44	S.	....	Clear
Atlanta	56	64	S.	....	Fair
Battleford	16	16	Calm	....	Clo'dy
Bismarck	34	34	E.	.04	Clo'dy
Buffalo	36	46	Calm	....	Clear
Boston	40	40	N.	.02	Rain
Cairo	52	56	S.E.	.01	Clo'dy
Calgary	24	28	N.	....	Clo'dy
Cheyenne	38	46	N.W.	....	Clear
Chicago	44	48	S.	....	Clo'dy
Cincinnati	46	50	S.E.	....	Fair
Cleveland	44	48	E.	....	Fair
Concordia	52	60	S.E.	....	Fair

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Davenport	44	52	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Denver	46	54	N.W.	....	Fair
Des Moines	46	56	S.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Detroit	40	46	S.	....	Fair
Dodge	54	58	N.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Dubuque	44	48	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Duluth	36	40	N.E.	....	Clo'dy
El Paso	62	68	N.W.	.01	Clo'dy
Edmonton	18	22	N.	.20	Snow
Grand Haven	36	46	S.E.	....	Fair
Green Bay	38	50	S.E.	....	Fair
Havre	38	48	S.W.	.01	Clo'dy
Helena	40	42	W.	Tr.	Clear
Huron	46	56	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Indianapolis	44	50	S.E.	....	Fair
Jacksonville	56	66	S.W.	....	Clear
Kansas City	52	56	E.	....	Clo'dy
Lander	40	50	W.	....	Clo'dy
Little Rock	60	60	S.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Marquette	42	46	S.E.	....	Fair
Memphis	56	60	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Medicine Hat	26	26	N.	....	Clo'dy
Minnedosa	24	28	Calm	....	Clo'dy
Montgomery	60	64	S.	....	Clo'dy
Montreal	36	38	N.E.	....	Fair
Nashville	56	60	S.	....	Clo'dy
New Orleans	62	68	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
New York City	44	48	N.W.	1.16	Clo'dy
Norfolk	48	50	N.W.	Tr.	Clear
North Platte	52	58	N.W.	....	Clo'dy
Oklahoma	60	72	S.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Omaha	50	58	S.E.	....	Fair
Oswego	32	34	W.	....	Clo'dy
Palestine	68	68	S.	Tr.	Clear
Parkersburg	44	50	S.	....	Clo'dy
Philadelphia	46	48	N.W.	....	Clo'dy
Pittsburg	50	56	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Pueblo	50	56	W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Qu'Appelle	20	22	N.E.	.06	Snow
Rapid City	42	56	N.W.	....	Clo'dy
St. Louis	50	56	S.	....	Clo'dy
St. Paul	44	52	S.E.	Tr.	Rain
Salt Lake City	40	42	N.W.	.36	Clo'dy
Ste. Marie	36	40	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Springfield, Ill.	44	48	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Springfield, Mo.	48	50	S.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Vicksburg	62	64	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Washington	44	52	N.	Tr.	Clear
White River	30	40	Calm	....	Clear
Williston	34	36	N.	.30	Fair
Winnipeg	30	40	N.W.	....	Clo'dy
San Antonio	60	84	S.	....	Fair

OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued by the Health department yesterday:

Anderson, Charles H., 14; 11949 Butler-st., Feb. 25.
Bane, Catherine, 74; 131 Walnut-st., Feb. 24.
Bradford, Robert P., 70; 1499 N. Maplewood-av., Feb. 25.
Belanger, Louise M., 50; 267 May-st., Feb. 24.
Bach, Henry, 35; 355 North-av., Feb. 25.
Breen, John, 45; 3100 Robinson-st., Feb. 25.
Clarke, Mary, 40; 3334 Yorkton-st., Feb. 24.
Clayton, John, 55; 1139 57th-av., Feb. 23.
Carr, Thomas T., 52; 1101 Jackson-blvd., Feb. 25.
Counselman, Amanda C., 57; 60th-st. and Princeton-av., Feb. 26.
Cavanaugh, Thomas, 38; 296 May-st., Feb. 25.
Curren, Cassie, 25; 3951 Armour-av., Feb. 25.
Dean, Mary, 71; 2871 N. 46th-av., Feb. 24.
Doring, Henry, 26; 2902 Emerald-av., Feb. 25.
Ehler, Frederick D., 80; 548 Burling-st., Feb. 23.
Friend, Philippine, 82; 4049 Grand-blvd., Feb. 25.
Flynn, Anthony, 35; 2125 W. Congress-st., Feb. 25.
French, the Rev. R. W., 88; 301 Lincoln-st., Feb. 23.
Flood, Bernard, 67; 3720 Cottage Grove-av., Feb. 25.
Fliehman, Frederick, 79; 41 Webster-av., Feb. 24.
Gade, Emil, 20; Cook County Hospital, Feb. 24.
Garton, Emma, 33; 2311 State-st., Feb. 23.
Hacker, Lizzie, 27; 489 Hermitage-av., Feb. 23.
Hardeland, Fredericke, 59; 1868 N. Hoyne-av., Feb. 25.
Johnson, Anna L., 43; 763 W. Ohio-st., Feb. 22.
Johnson, Charlotte S., 68; 2716 Princeton-av., Feb. 25.
Jobst, Bernard, 19; 758 Southport-av., Feb. 25.
Kraak, Paul, 40; 734 W. Division-st., Feb. 25.
Kloeckner, Maria, 80; 338 Washburne-av., Feb. 23.
Long, John E., 47; 358 37th-st., Feb. 24.
Littlejohns, Frederick J., 20; 7127 Greenwood-av., Feb. 26.
Leland, Margaret B., 86; 5234 Woodlawn-av., Feb. 26.
Merneigh, Mary M., 10; 12 Chatham-st., Feb. 25.
Miller, Charles, 9; 5820 Princeton-av., Feb. 24.
Mitchell, Kate, 34; 874 13th-st., Feb. 24.
Marthinson, Michael, 34; 792 W. Superior-st., Feb. 22.
Marks, Clara, 25; 787 W. 21st-pl., Feb. 25.
Mullen, Maria A., 66; 433 Belmont-av., Feb. 25.
Meske, Wilhelminia, 76; 1211 N. Robey-st., Feb. 25.
Marsh, Lena, 22; 89 N. Francisco-av., Feb. 25.
McNamara, Mary, 41; 5619 La Salle-st., Feb. 25.
Nelson, Elsie, 66; 1432 Roscoe-st., Feb. 26.
O'Connell, Ann, 90; 2850 Hillock-av., Feb. 25.
Owens, Virginia, 43; 1064 W. 12th-st., Feb. 24.
Oberg, Lars, 72; 153 Edgewood-av., Feb. 22.
Phalen, Richard, 48; 3036 Lowe-av., Feb. 25.
Russell, Sarah, 31; 3549 Armour-av., Feb. 25.
Rapa, Josephine, 33; House of the Good Shepherd, Feb. 25.
Schultz, Hern, 50; 3124 Fox-st., Feb. 24.
Sammons, Lottie, 21; 754 St. Louis-av., Feb. 25.
Warne, Marrilla A., 79; 705 W. 18th-pl., Feb. 23.
Voss, Flora, 59; 1992 Albany-av., Feb. 23.
Wood, Mary, 21; Policlinic Hospital, Feb. 24.

DEATHS.

ANDREWS—Dr. Sarah W., of heart failure, Feb. 25, at 319 Bowen-av., aged 68 years. Funeral at late residence on Saturday morning, March 1, at 11:30, thence by train to Kankakee, Ill., for burial.

BRADSHAW—Frances Stone, wife of John H. Bradshaw, 333 Ashland-blvd., at Pasadena, Cal., Feb. 25. Funeral notice hereafter.

BOWERS—Candace A., beloved wife of J. M. Bowers, aged 65 years, at her residence, 6420 Langley-av. Funeral Friday, Feb. 28, at 11 a. m., from late residence to Oakwoods. Springfield, Mass., papers please copy.

CUMMINGS—Marie M., daughter of Andrew and Sarah Cummings, aged 11 years. Funeral Thursday, Feb. 27, at 11 a. m., from residence of parents, 2978 Wabash-av., by carriages to Calvary. Funeral private.

DALTON—J. Frank, Feb. 24, at Aurora, Ill., aged 40. Funeral from the home of Oscar C. Johnson, Berwyn, Ill., Saturday, March 1, 2 o'clock.

FLUKE—Lewis H. Fluke, aged 62, Feb. 26. Funeral from late residence, 6405 Yale-av., Chicago, Friday, 12 o'clock noon. Davenport papers please copy.

KENDIG—Abby E., widow of the late J. A. J. Kendig, at Lexington Hotel, Chicago, Feb. 25, 1902. Interment at Crystal Lake, Ill., Friday. No flowers.

LELAND—February 26, 1902, Margaret B. Leland, widow of the late Judge Edwin S. Leland, formerly of Ottawa, Ill. Funeral services at the residence of H. T. Gilbert, 5234 Woodlawn avenue, Thursday, Feb. 27, at 2 p. m. Burial Friday, Feb. 28, at 12 m., at Ottawa, Ill., from C., R. I. & P. Depot.

MILWARD—David W. Milward, son of Mary and the late Henry Milward, brother of Sister Emmanuel, Mrs. P. J. Lyman, and Thomas Milward. Funeral from late residence, 2037 Wabash-av., Friday at 9:30 a. m., to St. John's Church, thence by carriages to Calvary.

MILLER—William Miller, aged 57 years. Funeral at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emma Morrison, 502 W. Madison-st., Friday, at 10 a. m., by carriages to Oak Ridge Cemetery.

PORTER—In Paris, Tuesday, Feb. 25, Mable G., wife of William D. Porter of Castine, Me.

RENNIE—Henry A. Rennie, Feb. 25, aged 19. Funeral services at the late home Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Burial, private, Friday morning.

RYAN—At Mercy Hospital, Gertrude Louise, youngest child of the late Edward and Alice Ryan of Hancock, Mich.

SCHLESINGER—Esther, at New York, Feb. 22, aged 33 years, beloved daughter of Morris and Betty Schlesinger, sister of Theodor R., Marguerita, Louis L., Carrie I., and Mrs. B. Grossman. Funeral from parents' residence, 637 N. Hoyne-av., Thursday, Feb. 27, at 1 p. m. New York papers please copy.

SAMMONS—Lottie C. Sammons, beloved daughter of Mary Sammons (née O'Hara), and the late Timothy Sammons, at the family residence, 754 S. St. Louis-av. Funeral Friday, Feb. 28, at 10 o'clock, to St. Agatha's Church, where solemn high mass will be celebrated, thence by carriages to Calvary. Buffalo (N. Y.) and Milwaukee (Wis.) papers please copy.

STROKER—Louis F. Stroker, aged 34 years, son of Dorothea and the late Herman Stroker, at the home of his mother at Palatine, Ill., on Tuesday, Feb. 25, of pneumonia. Funeral Friday, Feb. 28, at 12:30 p. m., from home of mother. Train leaves C. and N. depot at 10:50 a. m.

SLAYTON—Reuben, aged 61 years, member of Ft. Dearborn Council, R. A., and Policeman's Benevolent association. Services at late residence, 804 Austin-av., Sunday, 1:30 p. m., March 2, to Waldheim.

WELLS—Feb. 24, after a lingering illness, Albert Harrison Wells, aged 58 years. Funeral services at Graceland Cemetery Chapel, Thursday, the 27th, at 1:30 p. m.

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Central A. A. U. Has Large Number of Competitors for Indoor Track Meet.

BEST ATHLETES OF WEST

Stagg Sends Largest Team to Bid for Honors at Milwaukee Saturday.

TWELVE EVENTS ON CARD.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 26.—The entries for the Central Association Amateur Athletic union's indoor championship meet at the Exposition Building in this city on March 1 were given out tonight.

The card is made up of twelve events, and the entries include contestants from the University of Chicago, Beloit College, Milwaukee Athletic club, Detroit Athletic club, First Regiment Athletic association of Chicago, and various colleges throughout the State, in addition to the high schools and Young Men's Christian associations of Chicago and Milwaukee. The crack athletes of the West will come together, and each event will undoubtedly be hotly contested.

The entries number over 300, and are as follows:

SEVENTY-FIVE-YARD DASH.

W. H. Spalding, Lawrence University, Appleton, Wis.; F. Crane, L. Beaton, Allen Merrill, E. S. Merrill, Beloit; Walter H. Eckersoll, William Borden, George Smith, First Regiment of Chicago; G. Senn, C. A. Blair, F. G. Moloney, University of Chicago; A. T. Robinson, R. W. Albertson, M. Browne, L. H. Clapper, M. G. Cirkle, E. H. Hill, Central Y. M. C. A., Chicago; D. E. Mowry, Warren Bishop, Milwaukee Athletic club.

PUTTING SHOT.

Charles H. Hennimenn, Milwaukee Athletic club; Don Slater, E. S. Merrill, Beloit; B. H. Falter, R. J. Maxwell, First Regiment; E. E. Perkins, F. Speik, W. Carey, Z. R. Pettet, L. C. Peacock, University of Chicago; H. B. Webster, Central Y. M. C. A.

MILE RUN.

Walter Ferris, F. Crane, Beloit; L. A. Wilson, Lawrence University; George A. Seller, West Side Y. M. C. A., Chicago; F. F. Hall, First Regiment; E. Gale, H. D. Warner, J. Maclear, H. M. Tschirge, W. W. Hamburger, Snellgrove, University of Chicago; M. Browne, F. Holton, Bliss, J. M. Johnson, R. M. Brown, Central Y. M. C. A.

TWO-MILE RUN.

W. B. Young, Lawrence University; Warner, Beloit; F. F. Hall, D. J. F. Weir, First Regiment; X. Kalamatiano, R. L. Henry, E. Gale, J. Maclear, W. W. Hamburger, University of Chicago; M. Browne, F. Holton, Miller, Central Y. M. C. A.

POLE VAULT.

Frank Martin, Paul Dickey, First Regiment; J. Magee, O. E. Granberg, E. W. Miller, University of Chicago; R. W. Albertson, C. C. Adams, L. M. Booth, Ralph Norris, Central Y. M. C. A.; Jack Vernet, Milwaukee A. C.

RUNNING HIGH JUMP.

H. C. McRae, J. E. Heath, Beloit; J. F. Reynolds, Sodality A. A., Milwaukee; Claude Smith, Otto Kaecke, First Regiment; E. Quantrell, L. C. Peacock, University of Chicago; A. T. Robinson, C. E. Clapper, R. H. Johnson, C. C. Adams, Central L. M. C. A.; Warren Bishop, Milwaukee A. C.

SEVENTY-FIVE-YARD LOW HURDLES.

A. D. Andrus, Lawrence University; H. C. McRae, L. Porter, Beloit; A. Wilson, C. Manning, First Regiment; F. G. Moloney, H. Friend, O. E. Granberg, G. Senn, University of Chicago; L. C. Baily, Central Y. M. C. A.; J. Vernet, Milwaukee A. C.; E. Solomon, First Regiment.

SEVENTY-FIVE-YARD HIGH HURDLES.

A. D. Andrus, Lawrence University; L. Porter, Beloit; A. Wilson, C. Manning, First Regiment; F. G. Moloney, H. Friend, University of Chicago; C. C. Adams, L. C. Bailey, Central Y. M. C. A.

440-YARD RUN.

Lion Gardiner, Central Y. M. C. A.; Allen Merrill, E. S. Merrill, Beloit; C. D. Smith, Henry Black, George Smith, First Regiment; Z. R. Pettet, M. Cahill, F. G. Smith, O. E. Granberg, L. C. Peacock, W. J. Sherman, University of Chicago; A. T. Robinson, C. J. Buckwalter, L. H. Clapper, E. M. Tourtelot, M. G. Cirkle, E. H. Hill, Central Y. M. C. A.; D. E. Mowry, E. E. Doll, Milwaukee A. C.

880-YARD RUN.

L. Beaton, Beloit; T. T. Webster, First Regiment; William Maloney, First Regiment; F. M. Horton, W. R. Jayne, W. G. Mathews, University of Chicago; C. J. Buckwalter, L. H. Clapper, E. M. Tourtelot, H. J. Kirk, Central Y. M. C. A.; D. E. Mowry, E. E. Doll, Milwaukee A. C.

RELAY RACE FOR HIGH SCHOOLS AND ACADEMIES.

Hyde Park High School, Chicago; West Division High School, Milwaukee; South Division High School, Chicago; Academy Department, Marquette College, Milwaukee; Academy department, Carroll College, Waukesha.

RELAY RACE, OPEN.

First Regiment, Chicago; Beloit College; University of Chicago; Central Y. M. C. A., Chicago.

Lewis Beats Austin High.

The basketball team of Lewis Institute defeated the boys from Austin High School for the second time yesterday. The score was 30 to 15. Excellent team work by the institute was responsible for the victory. Lineup:

Lewis.		Austin.	
R. G.	Savage	Davidson	R. T.
L. G.	Foskett	Hawkins	L. G.
C.	Goehring	Walker	C.
R. F.	Strong	Florentine	R. F.
L. F.	Touzalin	Connor	L. F.

Umpire—Groot. Field Goals—Touzalin, 4; Strong, 4; Goehring; Foskett; Davidson, 3; Hawkins; Walker. Free throws—Hawkins, 3.

FOILS SCHEME TO BEAT POOLS.

Son of Montana Senator Proves Square Sport and Warns "Bookies" of Plan to Delay Report.

Butte, Mont., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—An effort to locate the conspirators in a big job to defraud the Butte poolrooms on the Oakland races on Monday became public today. The job was conceived in Butte and engineered by a well known professional man, who worked in connection with some persons in Utah.

The report on one of the races was delayed on the excuse that there was trouble on the wires, and was then telephoned to Butte from Salt Lake. In order to make the "job" financially successful it was necessary to take some Butte capitalist into the scheme, and the conspirators decided on Charles W. Clark, son of Senator Clark. The young man is a sport, but a square one, and the proposition staggered him. He pretended to go into the scheme, however, and put up several thousand dollars on the three horses, which ran one, two, three in the race.

The conspirators put up several thousand more, and when Mr. Clark satisfied himself the "job" had been carried out as promised by the conspirators he exposed the whole plot to the poolroom proprietors and pulled down his bets. He stood to win about $10,000. The poolroom men still hold the money of the conspirators.

Crescent City Derby Declarations.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—The final declarations of the Crescent City Derby, to be run on March 15, were given out today and seventeen remain eligible, as follows: Balm of Gilead, Vassal Dance, Merry Maker, The Hoyden, O'Hagen, Prowl, Kaffir, McChesney, Quicksilver Sue, Duke of Connaught, Lord Quex, Cast Iron, Dr. Hart, Hunter Raine, Pyrrho, I. Samuelson, and St. Tammany. It is hardly probable that McChesney or St. Tammany will start, and the race seems to be at the mercy of Lord Quex.

More Trophies for Kiel Regatta.

BERLIN, Feb. 26.—At a meeting of the Kiel Yacht club today, at which Admiral von Senden-Bibran, chief of the imperial marine cabinet, represented Emperor William, it was decided to increase the number and value of the racing trophies to be competed for at the Kiel regatta next summer. The yachts booked to participate in the approaching regatta already number 180, against 170 yachts in the regatta held last year.

Catton Wins First Half.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—William Catton, the former world's champion, tonight defeated Frank Day, champion of Missouri, in the first game of fifty points for the three-cushion billiard championship by a score of 50 to 35. Catton's highest run was four. The concluding game will be played tomorrow night.

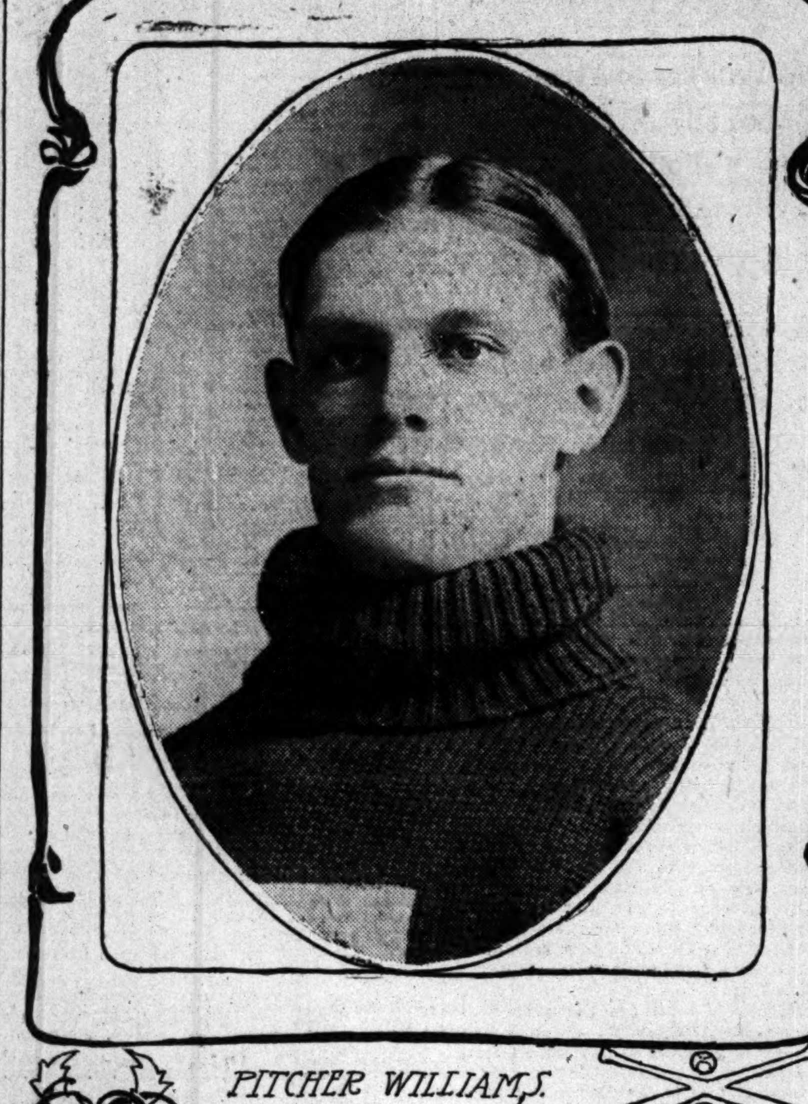
Riley Defeats Thomas.

Champion Riley won his game last night in the Mussey three-cushion tournament, defeating Thomas, 50 to 41, in ninety-two innings. Avery and Wessling will play tonight.

Leonard Loses on a Foul.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 26.—Jack Williams of Philadelphia won from Joe Leonard in the fifth round here tonight. The decision was given on a foul, after hard fighting, during which Leonard sent Williams to the floor four times.

HART'S LATEST PITCHING ACQUISITION.



PITCHER WILLIAMS.

"Pop" Williams, recently secured by the Chicago National league team from Toronto, has been a successful Eastern league pitcher for several years and for three years has been the leading pitcher of the Canadian team He is right-handed and is a good sticker.

KING'S COLORS IN A RACE

FIRST APPEARANCE OF ROYAL STABLE SINCE QUEEN'S DEATH.

Ambush II. Captures the Grand Steeplechase at Kempton Park—Victory Is Enthusiastically Cheered by the Spectators—Jockey Houck Makes an Assault on Presiding Judge Rees at New Orleans — Dorian Returns to Activity and Wins at Oakland.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Feb. 26.—For the first time since his accession King Edward today appeared on a racecourse. He went to the Kempton Park steeplechase to see his Grand National candidate, Ambush II., run in the Strand Steeplechase. This was Ambush II.'s first race in public since the horse won the Grand National in 1900, and the first appearance of the King's colors on a course. Consequently the sporting world hailed the day as notable in turf annals.

As anticipated, Ambush II. won the race, and its victory was followed by a scene of wild enthusiasm. The distance was two miles and a half.

This is the first time a King's colors have been seen on the turf since the reign of William IV., early in the last century.

NEW ORLEANS TRACK IMPROVES

Albert F. Dewey Wins the Handicap, the Favorite, Ida Ledford Being Among the Also-Rans.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—The races today were run over a much improved track and consequent improvement was noticeable in the racing.

The result of the daily handicap was a surprise, although a large contingent would not accept the bookmakers' favorite, Ida Ledford, but chose instead Albert F. Dewey, who was really at a false price. Dewey won, with Circus second and the favorite among the also-rans.

New Orleans Summaries Feb. 26.

Weather clear; track good.

First race, 1 mile, purse $300, maidens:
Bet. Horse weight, jockey. St. ¼ ¾ Str. Fn.
8-1 Gray Morn, 103 [Gormley] 6 3¹ 1h 1½ 1²
1-2 Tros, 110 [Odom] 4 1½ 2½ 2¹ 2½
50-1 Emily Oliver, 108 [Lindsay] 12 5² 5⁴ 4⁴ 3½
Time, 1:44⅘. Veritable Boy, 106 pounds [Lyne]; Anna Darling, 108 [Brennan]; Loka, 101 [Helgeson]; Edwin Lee, 103 [J. Waldo]; Rondelle, 108 [Hope]; Cicely Thorncap, 101 [Otis]; Will, 110 [W. Nelson]; Lancehim, 110 [Landry]; Florad, 111 [Hayden], finished as named. Winner, A. Miller's b. g., by Jim Gray—Julia L. Start good. Won easily. Anna Darling and Veritable Boy tired.

Second race, ¾ mile, purse $300, selling:
Bet. Horse weight, jockey. St. ¼ ¾ Str. Fn.
9-10 St. Cuthbert, 111 [Odom] 5 2½ 1½ 1nk 1²
10-1 Automaton, 104 [Slack] 4 1² 2² 2³ 2½
6-1 Lady Kent, 94 [Helgeson] 1 6¹⁰ 4² 4⁵ 3¹
Time, 1:14⅘. Fleuron, 102 pounds [Brennan]; John Grigsby, 105 [Lindsay]; Sir Christopher, 101 [Battiste]; Alpaca, 99 [Gormley]; Rival Dare, 94 [Boyd], finished as named. Uranus, 102 [J. Miller], excused. Winner, E. Trotter's ch. g., by St. Carlo—Santa Cruz. Post 20 minutes. Start good. Won easily. Alpaca was cut off at the far turn. Rival Dare ran away three-quarters in two different breakaways. Uranus was withdrawn by permission.

Third race, short course, purse $300, handicap, steeplechase:
Bet. Horse, weight, jockey. St. 6 12 Str. Fn.
5-1 Ceylon, 132 [Raines] 4 5⁴ 4¹⁰ 3⁶ 1²
1-1 Mr. Rose, 137 [Corner] 3 3h 3³ 2¹½ 2¹½
16-5 Harv B., 127 [Kelly] 1 1³ 1⁴ 1¹ 3¹⁵
Time, 3:17. King Elkwood, 129 pounds [Lyons]; Lot Thomas, 132 [Connelly]; Jim Taylor, 131 [Cahill], finished as named. Winner, W. Walker's br. g., by Hindoo—Amy Davenport. Start good. Won easily. The winner swerved across in front of Mr. Rose in the last sixteenth.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles, purse $400, handicap:
Bet. Horse weight, jockey. St. ¼ ¾ Str. Fn.
4-1 A. F. Dewey, 97 [Lindsay] 5 2² 1h 1h 1¹
20-1 Circus, 87 [Creamer] 1 4¹ 6 3² 2h
6-1 Malay, 110 [Otis] 2 5½ 2½ 2³ 3²
Time, 1:48½. Annoy, 107½ pounds [Odom]; Ida Ledford, 99 [W. Waldo]; Banish, 101 [J. Miller], finished as named. Winner, K. D. Orr & Co.'s ch. c., by Dandie Dinmont—Cecil B. Start good. Won handily. Dewey raced Ida Ledford into submission.

Fifth race, 1¼ miles, purse $300, selling:
Bet. Horse weight, jockey. St. ¼ ¾ Str. Fn.
12-1 Star Cotton, 92 [Boyd] 2 2² 1² 1nk 1¹
8-5 Ben Chance, 104 [Munro] 1 3¹ 3¹ 3¹½ 2nk
8-1 Little Elkin, 102 [Minder] 4 4² 4² 4¹½ 3¹½
Time, 2:09½. Garter Ban, 104 pounds [Brennan]; Little Tommy Tucker, 95 [Wallace]; Cast Iron, 94 [Lyne], finished as named. Winner, H. A. Cotton's br. g., by Kingstock—Ville Marie. Start good. Won handily. Garter Ban ran well to the stretch.

Sixth race, 1 mile, purse $300, 3-year-olds:
Bet. Horse weight, jockey. St. ¼ ¾ Str. Fn.
7-5 Kaffir, 104 [Young] 6 4h 4¹ 3⁴ 1h
16-5 Prowl, 110 [J. Miller] 7 6nk 3nk 1nk 2¹½
8-1 Josie F., 92 [Louden] 1 5² 6³ 5½ 3h
Time, 1:43½. Frank Jones, 92 pounds [G. Thompson]; Goldaga, 90½ [Gormley]; Tuck Paw, 91½ [Wallace]; I. Samelson, 95 [J. Waldo]; Silver Chimes, 90 [Creamer]; Little Emmy, 101 [Boyd]; Lady Alza, 98 [Battiste]; Hard Heart, 90 [Helgeson], finished as named. Winner, J. D. Dearing's br. c., by Hanover—Philura. At post ten minutes. Start good. Won driving. Kaffir looked big when going to the post, and the race is sure to improve him. He got into a jam on the first turn and had to go around his field to get up. Prowl hung when it came to a drive. Josie F. had a rough trip. I. Samelson and Goldaga were used up setting the pace. Frank Jones quit in the stretch.

New Orleans Entries.

First race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling—Crosby, 109 pounds; Maple, 107; Tragedy, 107; Big Injun, 105; Radiant Heat, 104; Van Hoorebeke, 104; Beggar Lady, 103; Woodstick, 103; Josie F., 90; Vassal Dance, 90; Corinne C., 90; Rose of May, 90.

Second race, 3½ furlongs, 2-year-olds, maidens—Impetuous, 109 pounds; Versifier, 109; Miss Shamrock, 106; Fairy Like, 109; Bill Nixon, 105; May Allen, 102; Black Patti, 102; Disappointment C., 102; Lizzie Brooks, 102; Sue Vius, 102.

Third race, ⅞ mile, 3-year-olds, selling—O'Hagen, 112 pounds; Chickadee, 105; The Way, 104; Siphon, 101; Parnassus, 101; Badger, 100; Woodmansten, 100; Lemoyne, 95.

Fourth race, ⅞ mile, handicap—Grantor, 104 pounds; Fleuron, 103; Tom Kingsley, 95; Johnny McCartey, 92; Orla, 88.

Fifth race, 1 mile, selling—El Ghor, 111 pounds; Trebor, 107; Joe Doughty, 106; Jena, 102; Dr. Carrick, 101; Eight Bells, 101; Scotch Bramble, 98; Star Cotton, 98; Annie Thompson, 96.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 20 yards—Lee Bey, 112 pounds; Choice, 108; McWilliams, 105; Algie M., 102; Julius Werner, 102; Dramburg, 102; Moggs, 99; Uncle Tom, 98; Poyntz, 98; Dr. Fannie, 97; Free Admission, 95; Paul Bart, 85.

JOCKEY STRIKES CAPTAIN REES.

Row in Front of Theater Results from Recent Suspension of Steeplechasers at New Orleans.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—Last evening as Captain Rees and Senator Fisher were entering a theater they passed a group of horsemen, among whom was Jockey Houck. Houck made an insulting reference to Captain Rees ruling off the steeplechase jockeys. Captain Rees did not hear the remark, but Senator Fisher did, and struck Houck, knocking him down.

Captain Rees, who had passed on into the theater, came back and separated Houck and Fisher, receiving a glancing blow on the head from the former while doing so. Houck was arrested, but was afterwards released at the request of Captain Rees.

Jockey Frank Rutter, who had a few mounts here after being reinstated by the Western Jockey club, today received a telegram from Green Morris asking him to ride for his California stable. Another telegram was sent by Billy Cowen to Joe Hayman asking him to get Rutter to name terms to ride in Russia this summer. He will probably accept the former proposition and wired Morris today to name his figure for the season.

DORIAN COMES TO LIFE AGAIN.

Wins First Race at Oakland After Six Years of Retirement—Poor Starting Mars Sport.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 26.—The racing at Oakland today was marred by bad starting, Jack Holtman being in poor form. Gaviota and Dunblane were left at the post in their races. In the mile event Galanthus carried the barrier with him. Jerid beat the gate in the third race, while Bard Burns, the favorite, got away poorly. Dorian, who raced in Chicago and the East about six years ago, and has since been retired at Rancho del Paso, made his reappearance on the turf in the first race. He was played from 15 to 1 to 10 to 1, and, well ridden by O'Connor, beat Phil Archibald half a length. Track heavy. Summaries:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Dorian, 109 pounds [O'Connor], 10 to 1, won; Phil Archibald, 106 [Troxler], 8 to 1, second; Edinborough, 109 [Jackson], 7 to 5, third. Time, 1:12¼. Educate, Pencil Me, Fine Shot, and Gold Baron also ran.

Second race, 4 furlongs—Georgie West, 110 pounds [J. Woods], 7 to 5, won; Orosims, 110 [Bullman], 18 to 5, second; Horatius, 112 [Conley], coupled with Georgie West; third. Time, :52½. Discharged also ran. Gaviota left at post.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Jerid, 112 pounds [Bullman], 5 to 1, won; Bard Burns, 109 [McGinn], even, second; Parsifal, 106 [Birkenruth], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:20. Major Hooker, February, Morengo, Reina de Cuba, and Midnight Chimes also ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Galanthus, 104 pounds [Ransch], 7 to 10, won; Urchin, 109 [Redfern], 8 to 1, second; Formero, 109 [Bullman], 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:48. Grand Sachem, Barnato, Cromwell, and Merops also ran.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs—Wyoming, 107 pounds [J. Woods], 3½ to 1, won; Bragg, 103 [Ransch], 7 to 1, second; Tower of Candles, 102 [L. Jackson], 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:33. Dunblane left at post.

Sixth race, Futurity course—Evander, 107 pounds [Bullman], 4 to 1, won; Quiet, 104 [L. Jackson], 2 to 1, second; St. Philippina, 102 [Birkenruth], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:15½. John Peters and Phyllis also ran.

ENTRIES.

First race, 6 furlongs—Clarando, 112 pounds; Phil Archibald, Harry Thatcher, 114; Eldred, 109; Legal Maxim, Dawson, 99; Young Morello, 117; Silva Cruz, 102.

Second race, 7 furlongs—Intrada, Tufts, 97 pounds; El Rey, Courtier, 109; Sand de Lee, 100; Talma, 102; Master Lee, 107; Rushfields, 112.

Third race, 3½ furlongs—High Chancellor, Dotterel, 106 pounds; Clarinette, Olahurst, Mamie, Annie F., Quida, 97; The Phantom, Len Reno, 103; Hudson, 100.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 50 yards—Wolhurst, 111 pounds; Malaise, 105; Lode Star, 107; Graylette, 102; Constable, 95.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Larry Wilt, Ingo, 102 pounds; Vassalo, Kildoe, 99; Montana Peeress, 97; Midnight Chimes, Foul Play, 112.

Sixth race, Futurity course—Man of Honor, 106 pounds; Ned Dennis, Tiburon, 113; Bassenzo, Tyranus, 98; The Fiddler, 102; Quiz II., 109.

EASTERN GOLF NEEDS TONIC.

Reason Why Nassau Course Stands Better Chance than Glenview of Getting Amateur Championships.

New York, Feb. 26.—[Special.]—Tomorrow night the seventh annual meeting of the United States Golf association will be held at Delmonico's. Besides electing officers and committeemen for the year there will be a general discussion on various golfing themes, which may result in some changes in the existing constitution, and the dates and links for the three championships will be voted on.

So far the only advance talk on the championships has concerned the amateur, and it has been about the choice of a Western or an Eastern links this year, rather than upon the merits of the two applicants, Glenview and Nassau. The East has the better of the situation, according to the opinions of voting delegates, and they will cast their ballots for Nassau with but one or two exceptions. It has been apparent that golf in the metropolitan district needs a tonic, and the metropolitan players, who have so often journeyed far afield to do missionary work for others, have decided to do some missionary work at home for themselves.

The new men named for officers are D. R. Forgan and Alan R. Reid, both of Chicago, and Maturin Ballou of the Apawamis club, who will take up the place of secretary, which has been held for five years by Robert B. Kerr of the Lakewood club. The others who retire from office with Mr. Kerr have also been long and zealous in service. They are John Reid of the St. Andrew's Golf club and H. C. Chatfield-Taylor of the Onwentsia club.

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MAROONS TO RUN ON AIR

DIRECTOR STAGG TESTS DEVICE TO INCREASE SPEED.

Pneumatic-Soled Shoes for Indoor Track Work Find Favor with Some of University of Chicago Athletes—Give Sprinters Good Start, but Are Liable to Produce High Steppers—McMillan, a Quarter-Miler and Football Player Joins Squad.

Pneumatic-soled running shoes are the latest means of Director Stagg to make the maroon sprinters clip time from their records. Specially made running shoes with inflated pneumatic soles were given a trial by several runners yesterday, and some of the fast men declared that on a hard floor the soles might be the means of increasing speed in both short and middle distances.

The first trial with the pneumatic soles was made by Captain Fred Moloney, who went a few laps with the new style of footgear. He said the shoes gave a runner a good start and a springy stride, but were apt to make him step too high until he became accustomed to them. Director Stagg has not decided to used them on his men in any track meet, but they will be given a trial within the next few weeks to demonstrate their worth.

A new quarter-miler made his appearance at the gymnasium yesterday. The newcomer is McMillan, who played quarter back on the Oberlin team last year, and has made a mark in his college as an all-round athlete. McMillan went a quarter in :57 2-5 yesterday without practice, and is thought to be good material. He will strengthen a weak department in the maroon team. Captain Moloney is the only man at present who is capable of going a quarter against the class of middle-distance men in the big nine.

Jerome Magee cleared eleven feet in the pole vault yesterday and made good the prediction that he would be vaulting eleven feet before the spring months. This is the third time this month Magee has made eleven feet. His record in practice is 11 feet 2 inches, which Director Stagg says is better than the world's indoor pole vault record.

GAMES IN BOWLING LEAGUES.

Tosetti Players Average 966 1-3, but Lose One Game to the Mechanics in the Chicago Tournament.

Although averaging 966⅓ in their series against the Mechanics in the Chicago league tournament, the Tosetti players were unable to secure all three games. Nine breaks in the last game pulled the Tosetti score down to 855, and they lost by eighteen pins. McLaughlin averaged 217⅔ and Haselhuhn 208⅓. The Lincoln Cyclists rolled in fair form and took two games from Worden's Stars. Scores:

Tosetti.	1.	2.	3.	Mechanics.	1.	2.	3.
Bangart	190	171	139	G. Gellert	151	158	109
Wood	180	208	193	L. Gellert	170	179	178
Haselh'n	257	183	185	Voltz	172	233	177
McLau'n	208	234	211	Gruner	176	143	167
Strong	214	204	127	Sievers	135	159	182
Totals	1,049	995	855	Totals	804	892	873

Lincolns.	1.	2.	3.	Wordens.	1.	2.	3.
Stretch	149	190	178	Steers	176	194	161
Scott	174	179	212	Barton	125	198	186
Ennis	190	170	165	Pasdeloup	170	189	193
Huhn	144	149	152	Strotz	161	154	105
Worcester	189	144	185	Worden	158	181	148
Totals	846	832	892	Totals	790	916	883

Lee's Royals administered a set-back to the Drexel Stars in the Phœnix league, capturing all three games. Lee was the mainstay of his side, striking out in the second game. Scores:

L.'s Royals.	1.	2.	3.	Drexel St's.	1.	2.	3.
Beckwith	159	181	181	Karnes	182	178	145
Fountain	166	126	160	Nicolet	156	185	158
Everoux	169	161	194	Patterson	200	179	193
Wilkins	227	178	195	M'Farland	178	157	184
Lee	205	235	210	W.T'mpson	189	179	182
Totals	926	881	940	Totals	905	878	862

INTERCLUB LEAGUE.

J'ks'n Pk.	1.	2.	3.	Englewood.	1.	2.	3.
Rockwell	181	189	202	Wheeler	178	148	193
Johnson	181	189	191	Speich	201	201	188
Schneider	167	146	153	Geist	167	152	166
Sandm'y'r	200	191	171	Drew	162	159	191
Collier	191	206	190	Alexander	233	164	204
Totals	920	921	916	Totals	941	824	944
Charlevoix	799	758	697	Woodlawns	740	669	693

SOUTH END LEAGUE.

Cowboys.	1.	2.	3.	Americas.	1.	2.	3.
Walsh	192	175	139	Schmidt	178	164	133
Hart	190	202	163	McDougall	158	174	168
A. Bernard	168	144	132	Adams	141	182	161
Thomas	150	149	191	Gassauer	96	138	135
S. Melody	188	180	181	P. Melody	144	193	133
Totals	888	852	806	Totals	711	851	729

INTERCLUB LEAGUE.

Oakland.	1.	2.	3.	Lincoln.	1.	2.	3.
Flenner	171	171	184	Cooper	179	141	138
Osborne	179	186	185	Gregory	136	126	180
Sinsab'gh	139	209	177	Spear	192	158	167
Guston	181	170	198	Ehle	161	176	152
Day	200	201	169	Ritchie	168	160	161
Totals	870	937	913	Totals	836	789	798

OWL LEAGUE.

Tribune.	1.	2.	3.	P. O. Stars.	1.	2.	3.
Racicot	150	155	186	Hanley	128	159	122
Partie	183	150	184	Halas	229	203	171
Warner	150	189	125	Martin	153	120	125
Rivets	168	162	181	Kalina	161	191	184
Otte	149	155	159	Curran	160	158	179
Totals	840	811	835	Totals	831	840	781

SHERIDAN LEAGUE.

South Paw.	1.	2.	3.	Crescents.	1.	2.	3.
Berlin	168	188	208	Mrosek	178	169	169
Waller	199	201	181	V. Seng	174	166	192
Pease	204	189	200	W. B'kh'dt.	169	170	161
Markham	189	188	163	Langhenry	172	191	161
Canfield	178	215	173	G. B'kh'dt.	187	150	159
Totals	938	981	925	Totals	880	846	862

Chicago.	1.	2.	3.	Kenmores.	1.	2.	3.
Muffly	223	205	168	Carr	171	192	225
Held	147	222	175	Spangler	202	190	170
O. Kanitz	162	145	196	Essley	204	148	188
C. Jones	139	198	146	Kerr	148	159	151
Forker	179	188	137	A. Frantz'n	140	252	174
Totals	850	958	821	Totals	865	941	908

SOUTHWEST LEAGUE.

Allemania.	1.	2.	3.	Met'p'litan.	1.	2.	3.
Pudewa	222	170	169	L. Buss	167	134	181
Bostelman	175	153	152	Graedinger	140	130	221
J. Buss	178	171	172	Fuelgraf	160	164	158
Owens	196	145	148	Geissler	141	126	190
Kupfer	189	199	178	C. Long	180	174	166
Totals	960	838	819	Totals	788	728	916

WEST CHICAGO LEAGUE.

Premier.	1.	2.	3.	Ashland.	1.	2.	3.
Chisholm	182	241	162	Clayton	151	194	170
Edington	205	178	185	Gunderson	146	190	132
Spring	189	168	201	Pyott	192	159	219
Thorson	171	174	176				
Hawkins	198	205	138				
Totals	945	969	865	Totals	489	543	521

LAKE VIEW LEAGUE.

Oakdale.	1.	2.	3.	N'thwest.	1.	2.	3.
Shaw	149	166	236	Bates	172	214	193
Pfister	176	163	165	Rink	178	180	169
Ollier	146	149	160	Clemens	169	162	152
Frichman	193	170	177	Henig	169	168	167
Meyer	193	204	168	Zabel	147	199	155
Totals	857	852	886	Totals	888	948	886

COLUMBIAN KNIGHTS' LEAGUE.

Pinzon.	1.	2.	3.	Standard.	1.	2.	3.
Schmidt	195	173	224	Muelh'ser	199	88	191
Trapp	205	200	211	Gertenrich	208	129	186
May	173	168	135	Galitz	126	117	117
Hall	193	161	178	Gerstung	167	147	149
Johnson	149	165	173	H. Gielow	174	178	158
Totals	915	867	919	Totals	869	754	751

BANKERS' LEAGUE.

Ill. Trust.	1.	2.	3.	Bankers' N.	1.	2.	3.
Sawtelle	164	199	165	Willson	154	126	196
Sullivan	136	194	183	McGregor	178	149	110
Gold	130	141	148	Krueger	107	154	114
Hiestand	152	177	176	McN'ght'n	135	138	189
Forch	184	199	212	Sedlack	177	165	204
Totals	766	910	884	Totals	751	729	812
Met. Nat.	758	790	819	Corn Ex.	782	755	711

TELEPHONE LEAGUE.

Auditing	745	794	756	Equipm't	584	642	637

Equipment had four men.

BENSINGER LEAGUE.

Wash'tons	754	763	794	Vollraths	810	761	768

FIRE UNDERWRITERS.

L. L. & G.	682	770	693	Springfield	692	823	731

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Hanovers forfeited three games.

Start Play in Women's Tourney.

The opening games in the women's two-handed tournament at the Schiller alleys were rolled yesterday afternoon. Scores:

Mrs. Peters [446], Mrs. Mueller [486]..........932
Mrs. Lesher [369], Mrs. Hunt [369]..........738
Mrs. Meyers [376], Mrs. Alwes [317]..........693

This afternoon the following pairs will roll: Stebbins and Hull, Carstens and Hasselbach, Ames and Holaville, E. C. Cooke and Gardner.

Crawford Purchases Navasota.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—G. L. Crawford of St. Louis today purchased from O. G. Parke the 2-year-old filly Navasota, by Galliastry—Fanny Wilson, one of the most promising fillies here. She has been first three times, second three times, and unplaced only once in seven starts. The price was $3,500. Hiram Scoggan, owner of Frank Rice, the 2-year-old son of Dr. Rice and Francis D., says the colt is for sale at $2,500. Scoggan wants to go to Louisville to take up some 2-year-olds, and does not care to leave the colt here or throw him out of training, as he is on edge and should go on winning.

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BROAD CHANGES QUARTERS.

[BY GEORGE SILER.]

Harry Harris, claimant of the 122-pound championship, and Austin Rice of New London, Conn., meet in the star event at the Pyramid Athletic club tonight. This will be Harris' first public appearance in Chicago in nearly eighteen months, and his first in America since he defeated Pedlar Palmer in England.

Harris is one of the few boys who can scale at the true featherweight limit at his best weight—about 118 pounds—he rates Al. Tall, with an exceptionally long reach, and a puzzling, prodding left punch, Harry is a difficult subject for any boy of his avoirdupois to analyze.

Harris, who has been sojourning in New York nearly a year, came to Chicago ostensibly to box Benny Yanger at the America club next Monday night, but the match was declared off by the club's matchmaker because of Harris' contest with Rice. The bout is causing considerable interest in local sporting circles, as Austin's recent victory over Tim Callahan makes him appear a formidable opponent for Harry.

Rice is classified under the head of "sawed-off," compared with Harris, but what little there is of him is all fight. It will be a long, lean, far reaching, and clever boxer against a short, stocky, tough, and rugged fighter, and the two extremes ought to furnish a fine collection of everything in the fistic category.

Four preliminary contests will precede the windup, with Jimmy Bardell as overseer. Malachy Hogan will referee the Harris-Rice go.

Present indications are that there will be no small amount of betting on the contest on Monday night at the America club between Benny Yanger and "Kid" Broad. Joe Macias, manager of the Eastern man, says he will see how his man conditions himself and makes the weight before he will make any bets, but he is confident of victory for Broad, and will probably accommodate the Yanger end of the argument with a few hundred.

John Hertz, the Italian's adviser, said yesterday he had a pool of $1,000 made up by Yanger followers to bet on the little fellow, and that he would like to place it even.

Both Yanger and Broad are easily within sight of the weight limit of 125 pounds, which figure must be made at 6 o'clock. Yanger is the lighter of the pair at the present time, but, as he can make the weight without any trouble, he is training merely for speed and without any idea of getting any lighter. He indicates that he will make a rushing fight from the start, just as he did with many of his other opponents. He does not intend to give Broad a great many opportunities to get in on top of tim as he did with Tommy Sullivan and Young Mowatt.

Broad will have to seek new training quarters today. The crowd of spectators who wanted to see him yesterday was so dense the management of the place decided it would be better for the regular patrons if Broad would leave.

KELLY WINS FROM JACK DALY.

Gets the Decision at the Acme Club Show—Poor Crowd Results in an Unsatisfactory Card.

[BY GEORGE SILER.]

Hugo Kelly, with strength, weight, and condition in his favor, defeated Jack Daly in their six round contest at the Acme club last night. The bout was the windup of the entertainment and probably the last of the club, as it has been playing to losing houses since its existence.

The club's matchmaker, Sig Hart, arranged a good program of six contests for last night, but the gate receipts did not foot up enough to pay the purses, which compelled the management to cut the program down to two mediocre preliminaries and the windup. The "prelim" bouts were short and unsatisfactory; Teddy Kaled going out for the count in the first round, after several knockdowns, and Johnny Clark slipping to the canvas for the limit after about two minutes of sparring.

The Kelly-Daly contest was warm and interesting. Hugo took a good lead in the second round and retained it to the end. He had Jack in distress in the fifth round, and also during the last minute of the last round, but was unable to put him away.

McPartland and Burns Matched.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—Kid McPartland and Eddie Burns are matched to fight here March 12.

DEXTER TO PLAY THIRD BASE.

One Position on the Local National League Infield Has Been Settled—Admired by Selee.

One of the unknown quantities in the problem which confronts Manager Selee in making up the Chicago National league team for next season was eliminated yesterday by the semi-official announcement that Charley Dexter would be given a permanent position at third base.

President Hart, when asked about it, said Manager Selee was well pleased with what work he saw Dexter do at third last season, and if there was any one position on the team that could be regarded as settled it was Dexter's. The player himself came to Chicago yesterday, after spending the greater part of the winter at his home in Evansville, Ind., and was much pleased to learn that he was to be given a chance to play steadily. Dexter has been a valuable utility player for the team, and because of that has never had an opportunity to play in any one position steadily.

Last year he was switched all over the infield and outfield, but did his best work at third, where he gave promise of developing into a reliable man if given a chance. His work there in games against the Boston club attracted Manager Selee's attention to him, and is largely responsible for the decision. With his position assured, Dexter is likely to improve in all departments of the game, and he was the only real emergency batter on the team last year.

DOYLE TO CAPTAIN THE GIANTS.

Player Released by Chicago Tuesday Signs a Contract with Freedman's Team.

New York, Feb. 26.—[Special.]—Jack Doyle will again return to this city, having signed a contract with the New York club this afternoon to play first base and to act as Captain of the team. Doyle left here a year ago because he could not get along with Manager Davis. He secured his release from Chicago on Tuesday to accept an offer made to him by New York several years ago.

"I am glad to get back to New York," said Doyle tonight. "There will be no friction between Mr. Fogel and me, and after looking over the list of players under contract I believe we will have one of the fastest teams in the country."

Secretary Knowles wired John Ganzel late this afternoon informing him of his release, the club having no further use for him now that Doyle has been signed.

THE CENTURY FOR MARCH

Some of Its Points

Marconi's Signals

Signor Marconi's own introduction to a very clear and authoritative article by P. T. McGrath, editor of the Evening Herald, St. John's, Newfoundland, —with new pictures and new facts. Mr. Marconi calls this article "a straightforward, popular account."

George Ade

The well-known author of "Forty Modern Fables" contributes "The Modern Fable of the Old Fox and the Young Fox," containing "A Set of Proverbs . . . brought up to Date, and peculiarly adapted to an Era of Horseless Carriages, Limited Trains," etc.

Tennyson

His wonderful personality and his delightful home life are described by his friend Captain W. Gordon McCabe of Richmond,—an article that every Tennyson-lover will preserve.

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The author of "Madame Butterfly" contributes a very amusing story, "The Strike on the Schlafeplatz Railroad." Illustrated by Frank Ver Beck.

Winston Churchill

The author of "Richard Carvel" furnishes a poem, "The Rose Light Lingered on the Hill."

S. Weir Mitchell

The author of "Hugh Wynne" and "Circumstance" contributes a little story entitled "A Consultation."

Edwin Markham

Is represented by a poem, "The Song Mystery."

The New Nerve Discovery

Dr. Albert P. Mathews writes on "The Nature of the Nerve Impulse," an authoritative account of Professor Loeb's and his own recent discoveries, the newspaper accounts of which have attracted wide attention. "A physical explanation of one of the phenomena of life."

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Is treated in several interesting articles,—"The Reign of the Revolver in New Mexico," "An Apostle to the American Indians" (Bishop Whipple of Minnesota), "'King James' of Beaver Island" (James Jesse Strang, the Michigan Usurper), "A California Bandit,"—all entertaining personal articles, most of them illustrated.

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THE BEST— THE TRIBUNE.

YATES COMPELS HALL TO RESIGN.

Governor May Now Appoint Father-in-Law as Head of Asylum for Blind.

CAUSES OF THE TROUBLE.

Superintendent Refused to Buy Supplies at Store Kept by Executive's Relatives.

ADDS TO POLITICAL POWER.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Jacksonville, Ill., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—An important member of the Yates family is, according to the town talk here, slated for the superintendency of the Asylum for the Blind. Reference is made to A. C. Wadsworth, Governor Yates' father-in-law. If well-defined reports and corroborative evidence are to be accepted at all Mr. Wadsworth is to get the place on July 1. All relatives, with few exceptions, have long since been taken in out of the wet. Mr. Wadsworth is past due. The Governor has been in office for about fourteen months, and Mr. Wadsworth has waited patiently for his bit of comfort. It will come in the near future.

Dr. Hall Resigns Post.

Dr. Frank H. Hall, the superintendent of the institution, tendered his resignation last night, the act being forced upon him by the administration.

Dr. Hall is a well-to-do man. An arithmetic of which he is the author is being adopted all over America. Its advancement demands his attention. He may go where his duties call him, but his soul is with the blind children. As an educator of the blind he is an accepted authority in the old world and the new. Such is the character of the man whose services the State will lose.

Say Yates Forced Resignation.

Dr. Hall will not say one word about his troubles as superintendent since Governor Yates came into power. His countless friends are talking volubly about the matter, and they do not hesitate to say what they think.

Reasons for Disfavor.

The reasons why he was in disfavor, according to his friends, are numbered under three heads:

1. Governor Yates wants the superintendency of the institution for his father-in-law.

2. Governor Yates demands all the patronage incident to the institution to build up his personal machine.

3. The Alexander department store, in which Harry Wadsworth, one of the Governor's brothers-in-law, is interested and in which Fred Rowe, Governor Yates' cousin and manager, is said to be interested, has never had one penny's worth of trade from the blind asylum under Dr. Hall's management, and it never will have it if Hall can prevent it.

Dr. Hall, during the nine years of his superintendency, has pursued the policy of buying in the open market for cash. He was a firm believer in this doctrine and he lived up to it. His son was the buyer for the institution and able to manage the plant when the doctor was called away. All purchases were made under the eye of the doctor. The two positions in the hospital regarded by Dr. Hall as of the greatest importance were those of the purchasing agent and the night watchman. Dr. Hall was insistent on the proposition that these men should be his appointees.

War on Hall's Son.

The Governor well knew Hall was not sufficiently pliable to suit him. The Governor dared not throw Hall out per force, so he made war on the purchasing agent, Hall's son. Last summer young Hall's head was demanded. Father and son made preparations to leave the institution. Dr. Hall, whose services as an educator were in demand, entered into a contract to take charge of the public schools of Waukegan. The Yates people saw they were going at a clip far too speedy, so they induced the son to stay here until March 1.

Trustees Oust Young Hall.

Last night the Board of Trustees met at the asylum and confirmed the appointment of E. F. Black of Virginia as purchasing agent, thus displacing young Mr. Hall. Thereupon Dr. Hall tendered his resignation as superintendent of the institution, to take effect on July 1. It was placed on file. It will be accepted in due season and the institution will be made an important personal adjunct to the Yates administration.

The new purchasing agent is said to be a "live wire," politically speaking, in Cass County. The Governor is not particularly strong in Cass. Black's appointment will help him; it will also swell the receipts of the Alexander company. The horses that draw the supply wagons of the State institutions, those of the Blind Asylum excepted, by force of instinct find their way unaided every morning to the Alexander store and "back up" for their loads.

Blind Children Miss Hall.

The 250 blind children out at the asylum knew of Mr. Hall's resignation, and their poor little hearts are filled with sorrow. He is the king of their world, the god of their universe, and their father. He raised many of these unfortunates from babyhood. Their worship of Hall is almost idolatrous. They know his step, and come to him, clambering into his lap, to tell him their joys and their sorrows.

DAWES CLUB AT EVANSTON.

Organization with 200 Members Is Formed to Boom His Candidacy for United States Senator.

The Charles G. Dawes club of Evanston was organized last night to boom Mr. Dawes' candidacy for United States Senator. The organization was effected at a meeting held in the town hall, at which 200 were present.

The meeting was preliminary to another and larger one, which will be called soon, at which Mr. Dawes and others will speak. Brief addresses were made last night by Mayor James A. Patten, Carlton H. Pendleton, D. A. Holmes, and others.

The following officers were elected: President, George P. Englehard; Vice Presidents, D. A. Holmes, A. L. Currey, J. F. Becker, E. C. Crawford, John Cochran, John Branch, James A. Patten; Secretary, Carlton H. Pendleton; Treasurer, E. B. Quinland.

SECRETARY SHAW IS HERE: ATTENDS BANQUET TONIGHT.

Head of the Treasury Department, Accompanied by Governor Van Sant, Guest of National Business League.

Leslie M. Shaw, Secretary of the Treasury, accompanied by Mrs. Shaw and Governor and Mrs. Van Sant of Minnesota, arrived in Chicago yesterday afternoon. This evening Secretary Shaw will speak at the banquet of the National Business league in the auditorium, taking as his subject, "The Commerce and Industries of the West."

The program of speaking at the banquet this evening will be as follows: Greeting, the President; "The League," John W. Gates; "Commerce and Industries of the West," Secretary Shaw; "Reorganization of the United States Consular Service," Harry A. Garfield of Ohio; "Reciprocity with France," M. Henri Merou, Consul of France; "Reclamation of the Arid Regions of the West," Cornelius J. Gavin of New Mexico; "The University in the Commercial World," President William R. Harper.

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POSTER ANNOUNCES KENNEL CLUB'S SHOW.



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The Chicago Kennel club's show at the Coliseum on March 12-15 will be announced to that part of the public which reads poster advertisements by a five-color card, the design for which was drawn by a local artist, George Ford Morris. The poster is of window size.

TWO ROBBERS ARE HANGED

BURGLARS EXECUTED UNDER LAWS OF NORTH CAROLINA.

Dudley Johnson, White, and Ben Foster, Colored, Die on Gallows at Asheville for Attack on Postoffice, in Which They Engaged in a Desperate Battle with the Postmaster, Who Was Shot—Governor Saves Two of the Men.

Asheville, N. C., Feb. 26.—Dudley Johnson, white, and Ben Foster, colored, were hanged here today for burglary. They were given a church burial during the afternoon.

The crime was committed in the postoffice and store kept by Samuel Alexander at Emma, a hamlet a few miles out of Asheville, on the night of Feb. 1, 1901. Johnson and Foster, with Russell Gates and Harry Mills, called Alexander to the door, covered him with revolvers, and forced him to open the safe.

Johnson laid his revolver down to take the money out of the safe when a cat moved in the back part of the store, which attracted the attention of Foster, who was holding his revolver at Alexander's head. Alexander grabbed Johnson's gun, shot Foster and snapped the weapon at Johnson, who grappled with him. Johnson had an open knife in his hand, which Alexander caught. Foster shot Alexander as they struggled, and firing again, wounded his partner in the face.

Alexander fought the two men, forcing them to the door and out. Here the postmaster fell. The shooting by this time had aroused the citizens, and the burglars ran.

For weeks Alexander was at death's door. His fiancée went to him, and they were married. The people made up a purse for him. Postmaster General Smith wrote him a letter thanking him and expressing the highest admiration of his bravery.

The trial was held in June, the four men were condemned to die on Aug. 7. They appealed for a new trial on the ground that the store was not a dwelling, but the court ruled that it was.

MISSOURI SUSPECT HELD FOR THE MURDER OF SIX.

A. F. Batson Arrested on Suspicion of Being Connected with Killing His Employer's Family at Welsh, La.

Spickard, Mo., Feb. 26.—A. E. Batson, who was a hired man in the Earl place at Welsh, La., where six members of the family have been found murdered, has been arrested here on suspicion of being connected with the crime.

Batson declares he is innocent of any connection with the murders. He admits having worked for the Earl family up to within a few days ago, when, he says, he was discharged, but insisted that he left the place on the best terms. Batson asserts that the sons quarreled continually and that on the day he left the premises one of the boys was in a drunken stupor.

COEDS TO DANCE WITHOUT MEN.

Part of Them to Take Part of Their Banished Brothers—Retaliate on Boys for Their Smoker.

Coeds in semi-masculine attire will dance at the senior girls' informal hop next Saturday afternoon at the University of Chicago, and men will be barred. The dance will be given largely to spite the senior college men, who gave a smoker a few nights ago, with the understanding that the girls were not wanted. Coeds will act as substitutes for the banished men at the dance.

The young women who are active in engineering the exclusive affair are Lillian Belland, Jessie Sherman, Clara Kretzinger, and Josephine Lackner, all of them prominent in social affairs at the university. Fifty coeds are expected at the dance.

"We will be sure of good partners, any way," the coeds declare. "That is more than we can say when the men come."

All the girls want to be "men" at the dance, but some whose brothers do not live in the city feel that costumes might not be easily borrowed. The gymnasium in the School of Education Building, where the dance will be held, will be rigidly guarded during the event.

TRACEY WINS FROM FERNS.

Veteran Fighter Gains the Decision Over the Man Who Was Recently a Champion.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 26.—At the Pastime club tonight Tom Tracey of Australia was given the decision over Rube Ferns of Kansas at the end of the twentieth round.

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STOPS TRAIN AND RESCUES WOMEN FROM BURNING HOUSE.

Engineer Wyatt Carries Mrs. Ida Achey, Mother, and Sister from Building Wrecked by Explosion.

Kokomo, Ind., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—The house occupied by Mrs. Ida Achey, her mother, and sister was wrecked by an explosion of natural gas at 4 o'clock this morning. The building took fire immediately.

A Pan-Handle train was passing at the time. Engineer Frank Wyatt stopped his train, ran to the burning building, and carried out the three women, all of whom were badly injured. Wyatt himself was badly burned in the rescue.

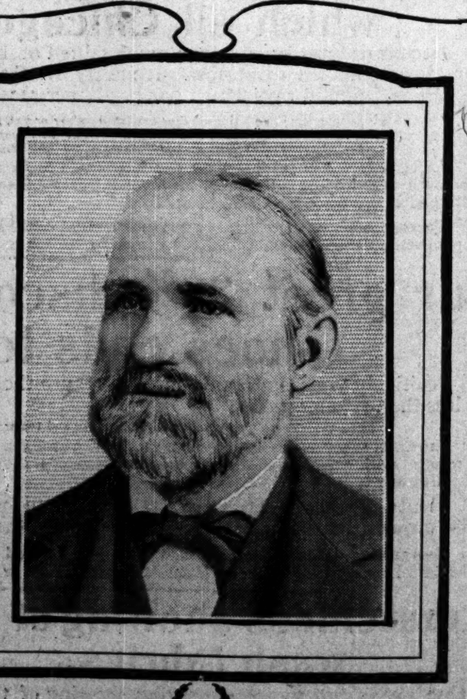
Mrs. Achey died as a result of her injuries. Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Barington, the dead woman's mother and sister, are in the hospital and will recover. Wyatt was so badly injured that he, too, is in the hospital.

PONTIAC CASE GOES OVER.

Board of Managers of State Reformatory Adjourn Meeting Until March 4.

Pontiac, Ill., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—The Board of Managers of the State Reformatory met here today to take action on the Marshall inquiry, but on receipt of a telegram from Manager Kinney, announcing his inability to be present on account of sickness, the board adjourned to meet here again on March 4.

PIONEER IS DEAD WHO, IN 46 YEARS, RODE SIX TIMES ON THE STREET CARS.



FREDERICK D EHLEN.

During a residence of forty-six years in Chicago, Frederick D. Ehlen, a pioneer wheelwright, who died on Tuesday evening, patronized the street railroad companies only a half dozen times. That was during the World's Fair, when the distance from his North Side residence to Jackson Park made walking out of the question. It was due to his habit of walking that he finally contracted pneumonia, which caused his death, in his eighty-first year.

Mr. Ehlen was born in Coblentz, Prussia, where he learned his trade. He also was a practical engineer, and his first work after coming to Chicago was to erect a lighthouse station at the mouth of the Chicago River. He superintended the construction of the first swing bridge built over the river, which was at Lake street. Later he built the South Halsted street bridge, and during its construction he walked from his home at North and Cleveland avenues to his work and back.

Mr. Ehlen leaves six children—George C., Frank H., superintendent of the Record-Herald composing-room; Christopher C., Joseph C., Mrs. H. Dauben of Oshkosh, Wis., and Mrs. George Brehne of this city. The funeral will be held this morning at 10 o'clock from St. Michael's Church, Cleveland avenue, and Eugénie street. Interment will be at St. Boniface.

NEWS OF THE THEATERS.

DAVID GARRICK.

A Play in Three Acts.

BY

T. W. ROBERTSON.

Presented at Powers' Theater, Chicago, by E. S. Willard and his company, Feb. 26, 1902. The cast:

David Garrick	Mr. Willard
Simon Ingot	Mr. H. Barfoot
Ada Ingot	Miss Ellen O'Malley
Richard Chivy	Mr. Ernest Stallard
Samuel Smith	Mr. H. Cane
Mrs. Smith	Miss Maria Saker
Mr. Brown	Mr. J. G. Taylor
Miss Araminta Brown	Miss Laura Linden
Mr. Reginald Jones	Mr. H. G. Lonsdale
Thomas	Mr. G. Gaston
George	Mr. W. Edmunds

"David Garrick," a play in three acts by T. W. Robertson, founded upon the French drama "Sullivan," was presented by Mr. Willard at Powers' Theater last night before a large and appreciative audience. It is a delightful play, but makes severe demands upon the ability of all but two players in the cast, and for one part—that of Garrick—requires an actor of more than ordinary talent and versatility. For that reason "David Garrick" is not included in the repertory of many star companies.

The play is not a novelty to the playgoers of this city; it has been attempted before by several prominent actors, but it is safe to say that none played it better than Mr. Willard. His conception of the part of Garrick is masterly, and he plays it with admirable power and brilliancy. With the grace and humor of a comedian he combines the dramatic intensity of a tragedian, and so remarkable is his gift of suddenly changing his mood and expression, the tone of his voice, and the manner of his acting that he is a constant source of surprise to the audience.

The scene in the second act, where Garrick, true to his promise to Ingot, undertakes to cure Ingot's daughter of her love for himself by arousing her disgust by his apparent drunkenness, is a veritable touchstone for dramatic ability. Mr. Willard stands the test well. He plays the inebriate actor excellently. Without transition he bounds from broad, farcical humor to cutting irony or deepest emotion, and makes one almost forget that it is a play he is enacting and not reality. His conception of the part of Garrick is noble and worthy of a true artist, and nowhere did he show his refined interpretation of the part to better advantage than in the scene with Ada Ingot in the last act.

His support was unusually good. Mr. Barfoot played the part of Simon Ingot with remarkable skill. His makeup was good and he gave a lifelike impersonation of the old and narrow but good-hearted patrician who loves his daughter even more than his money-bags and his social position, and is willing to make any sacrifice for his only child. Miss O'Malley, who had been intrusted with the part of Ada Ingot, was sweet and charming, but from a dramatic point of view scarcely satisfactory. In the last act she seemed more animated, but even then she could not win the sympathy of the audience to any marked degree. Mr. Ernest Stallard put enough crudeness into his voice and manners to make the character of Richard Chivy appear true to life without being too repulsive. Mr. Taylor played the part of Mr. Brown cleverly, but his makeup would have befitted better a low farce-comedy character. His facial expression was excellent and would have been effective even without that hideous mask. The same may be said of Mr. Crane, who impersonated Samuel Smith of Smith, Smith & Co., Cheapside. Miss Saker as Mrs. Smith, Miss Laura Linden as Araminta Brown, and Mr. Lonsdale as Reginald Jones were clever enough to make up the rest of a good ensemble.

As a curtain raiser a comedietta entitled "A Silent Woman" was presented, in which Miss Agnes Palmer played the part of Marian Sandford, who by an ingenious experiment cures her intended husband of his prejudice against talkative women. Mr. Case impersonated the father of the girl and Mr. Homewood her fiancé.

NEW DEPOT PROJECT VETOED.

Pennsylvania Railway Directors Decide Against Greater Union Station to Let In Baltimore and Ohio.

The project of building a new and larger union depot has been given up for the present. The directors of the Pennsylvania road, at a meeting yesterday in Philadelphia, voted it down. The plan proposed was to furnish sufficient accommodation to let the Baltimore and Ohio use the station without encroaching on the facilities of the roads now using it. It is not known whether or not the directors' decision will prevent the transfer of the Baltimore and Ohio from the Harrison Street Station to the Union depot.

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Food that will actually lift one out of a sick bed is worth knowing of. A Chicago lady writes, "I want to tell of a positive cure Grape-Nuts has made in a case that was considered almost hopeless.

I know you do not look upon Grape-Nuts as a medicine, but, inasmuch as the food certainly does build up worn out systems, it seems to me it is closely allied to a tonic. Now about the cure.

Last spring a dear girl friend fell ill and was taken to one of the hospitals, but weeks before entering the hospital she had been able to take nothing but milk to nourish her, all other foods distressed the stomach so much that she tried to live on milk alone.

The doctor in the hospital endeavored to keep her alive with broth and other food, but her stomach refused to retain anything but milk, and very little of that at a time.

I worked away at the resident physician until he consented to my taking her home to see what the change would do for her. The poor child was so very weak and nervous and so frail that I felt quite dubious about the outcome, nevertheless I knew enough about Grape-Nuts Food, which I intended to give her, to feel that it would bring her out. After she had rested a little while I warmed some milk and poured it over a tablespoonful of Grape-Nuts and persuaded her to take it. She did so with fear and trembling, for she did not expect to keep the food down. After giving her the food I started to read her a story, and although it was an interesting one, she fell asleep. When she finally awoke her first words were, 'Did I really keep the Grape-Nuts?'

She had kept them but could scarcely believe it. After two or three hours I gave her a little more with the same good result. Gradually and cautiously I increased the amount until after a few days she was able to eat a saucer full with no bad effects.

She lived on Grape-Nuts entirely and gained strength so rapidly that she soon recovered, and now recommends Grape-Nuts to all her friends. She says she would be glad to have anyone who is suffering from stomach trouble write her, and she will tell what Grape-Nuts Food has done for her, and how grateful she is to the man who had the forethought to manufacture a food already digested so that weak stomachs can take it. Her name is Lillie M. Gestabt, 4416 Wabash-av., Chicago."

A clergyman of our acquaintance eats a dish of Grape-Nuts before preparing his sermon. I asked him once if he got inspiration from the food. He said, 'Not only that, but it seems to clear my mind and make my 'thirdlys' and 'fourthlys' come much more quickly. Just think about one's stomach not having to think about digesting Grape-Nuts at all, they have done the digesting themselves, and all we have to do is to tickle the palate by swallowing them.' This same gentleman assured me that he would rather dispense with any article of food on the table than Grape-Nuts.

We eat the food regularly with sometimes a little fresh or canned fruit added. We call it our 'tonic.' My husband joins in thanking you heartily for its manufacture." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

WAY TO STOP "SCALPING"

A. M. PALMER SAYS THE PUBLIC CAN PREVENT IT.

Every Precaution Will Be Taken with the Mansfield Engagement at Grand Opera-House, He Declares, but Admits No Plans Are in Mind for Preventing the Extortion of Bonus for Good Seats, "the Matter Really Resting with the People."

A. M. Palmer, the veteran theatrical manager, who is in the city awaiting the opening of Richard Mansfield's engagement in "Monsieur Beaucaire," declared last night that every precaution would be taken to prevent speculation in tickets during the five weeks' run of the attraction.

"I have no particular plan in mind for preventing speculation in tickets," Mr. Palmer admitted. "It is a matter which rests with the people, and I have every confidence in their good sense. They have it all in their own hands. In my experience I have been annoyed by speculators less in Chicago than in any other large city in the United States.

"Our opening sale at the Grand Opera-House today for the first two weeks amounted to $9,000, and still there are plenty of tickets to be had. So far as I can learn there are no evidences that any persons are speculating in the tickets."

Mr. Palmer was pleased to learn of the decision of the Supreme Court of New York against the ticket brokers. It was held by Judge Scott that a theater ticket was a personal license to the individual to whom it was sold, and consequently not transferable or assignable without the consent of the licensor.

"If the managers here should adopt the plan followed by the New York managers it might be effective in stopping speculation," Mr. Palmer said. "For several years the New York theater managers have had an agreement printed on the tickets which binds the purchaser not to sell or transfer his ticket to another without the consent of the manager from whom it was bought."

As a matter of news Mr. Palmer stated that Mr. Mansfield was under contract to open his season in Chicago next year with a three weeks' engagement, which would be followed in the spring by a two weeks' engagement. It was possible, Mr. Palmer said, that Mr. Mansfield would produce the new play, "Ivan the Terrible," but this detail had not been settled.

STUDENTS AND CENSOR CLASH.

Professor Cumnock of Northwestern University and Sophomores Have Sharp Words Over Rehearsal.

As the result of a clash between the members of the cast of the sophomore play at Northwestern University, and Professor R. L. Comnock at rehearsal yesterday, the censor left the hall, and the students talk of renting a hall in which to act the play according to their own views.

Professor Cumnock started the talk after the first act, by saying that "indecent" accounts of the play had been published. He blamed the coach, Miss Anna Scribner, for these stories.

A storm of protest went up from the students at once.

"Your action is most uncivil," said one.

"You have not acted as a gentleman," shouted another. "Your conduct towards us borders on persecution."

"I resign immediately," said Miss Scribner. "I never told anything but what came to me from sources outside the cast."

Professor Cumnock then left. The students refused to accept Miss Scribner's resignation and pledged themselves to carry on the play if they had to rent a hall on Davis street in which to give it.



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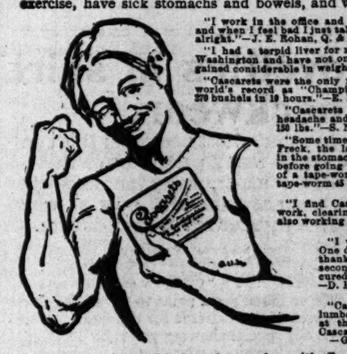
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"Cascarets cured me radically of dyspepsia and headache and my weight which before was 129 is now 150 lbs."—S. Navarro, Biloxi, Miss.

"Some time ago, while I was in Millersburg, Pa., Mr. Freck, the landlord, was afflicted with severe pains in the stomach. I insisted upon his taking a Cascaret before going to bed and next morning he passed 6 ft. of a tape-worm. He bought a box of Cascarets and 6 tape-worm 45 feet long came from him head and all."—Chas. E. Condon, Millinburg, Pa.

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11.30 AM	WISCONSIN MAIL. For River points, Green Bay, Wausau.
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Resume of today's page advertisement.

Remarkable bargains in women's apparel. Charming novelties in shirt-waist neckwear. Annual sale of sterling silver. Great showing of Oriental rugs. The new 1902 belts. Last days of the great 20% discount sale of shoes. The new 1902 corsets.

Established in 1855.

Mandel's Daily Store News.

We close at 5:30 p. m.

Careful attention given to all mail orders.

Special points of interest in Mandel's store.

As a charming deviation from the usual tiresome shopping tour take a promenade in our miniature Rue de la Paix on the third floor, and view the jauntiest and richest reproductions of the master milliners that you'll find here—both Parisian and American.

Weather indications: Threatening, slightly warmer.

Mandel's editorial comment.

Thursday, February 27th, 1902.

At all times you'll find Mandel's the busiest store in all Chicago, where quality reigns supreme, and you know, to be always busy is a good test of public worth. The discriminating buyer—the economical shopper—who realizes the fallacy of shutting one's eyes to quality has made the store what it is today. If you are a knowing shopper you've found that there's no actual saving in low prices if the quality has been sacrificed. To buy merchandise below the Mandel standard is false economy and leads to ineffaceable dissatisfaction. Giving quality due consideration, you'll find that our prices are at all times absolutely the lowest. This is not a mere assertion, but a positive fact, and we'll leave you to be the judge, jury, and witness and abide by your decision, because we know whereof we speak, and are prepared to stand the crucial test every day in the week.

Charming novelties in shirt waist neckwear.

Every woman is glad that shirt waist neckwear this summer is detachable. There are so many pretty forms that in a twinkling one can, by a deft transfer, make the waist that has been worn a few times seem as spick and span as when 'twas first taken from the sweetly scented dresser drawer.



This new neckwear is just overflowing with rare possibilities for effective dress for resourceful women.

We've taken great pains to get all the finest and newest of the patterns for this year. When you see our special showing you'll be looking at the prettiest creations worn by the elegantes of Paris, the swagger set of London and the ultra-fashionable of New York.

The soft turnovers are among the neatest, most convenient and modish of the new effects. They are adorned in all sorts of charming ways and come in whites, blacks, whites and blacks, linen colors with stitching to correspond and many delicate colorings.

New stocks, neckbands, collarettes and ribbon neckers.

There's no excuse for you to wear anything but charming novelties this year, for we've a remarkable collection of them and have set the prices almost incredibly low.

New spring styles in silk waists.

We speak advisedly when we say that we have the handsomest collection of silk waists in Chicago—the most artistic conceits of the fashion designs for 1902.

And then the exclusiveness of the Mandel styles makes it specially desirable to secure your supply of silk waists here.



They come in peau de chine, crepe de chine, liberty silk and satin, and the new moire silks—those delicate weaves that take the rich color tones so effective in the new patterns.

All the radically new departures are represented in our great showing of silk waists—the Gibson, Maxim and Christy styles being worthy of special mention.

The strongest arguments behind our waists are the quality of fabric, style excellence and the workmanship, but the low prices astonish everyone who inspects our great assortments.

You couldn't buy the silk and make them for the prices quoted here. Elaborate waists for evening wear—dainty, dressy party waists and waists for everyday wear—prices range from $5, 5.95, 6.95 and up to **$75.**

Toilet goods at reduced prices.

It's all in reading the list below. If you do you will be very sure to visit us today.

The articles quoted are the best of their kind; such as Dr. Graves' tooth powder and Gustav Boehm's violet toilet soap.

The latter is considered one of the finest and most luxurious soaps abroad, and sells for more in Europe than we are asking you here today.

Dr. Graves' tooth powder, 15c size—at **10c.**
Mandel's special rose and violet talcum powder, **10c.**
Mandel's pure borax—regular 12c 1-lb. package, **8c.**
Mandel's violet cold cream—regular 15c box, **10c.**
Gustav Boehm's violet toilet soap—20c cake, **15c.**
Goodrich 2-quart all rubber hot water bottle, **69c.**
Scherman's famous egg shampoo—10c.

Those new 46 inch all wool French batistes

Are the most charmingly effective of all the new light weight fabrics. Just the thing for an elegant evening costume, a house or street gown, or a modish shirt waist.

They're durable, too—closely woven with nap enough to keep them from wrinkling and catching dust and soot.

To mention their numerous colors would be cataloguing the most popular of the season's many shades. Beautiful light tans, grays, castors, resedas, modes, old rose, heliotrope, cadet, sky, navy, cardinal, wine, royal, mousse, cream and black, and a score of others.

They're so crisp and firm that there's no need of a silk lining. They come in 46 inch widths—per yard, **75c.**

Women's walking gloves, 75c.

It's a remarkable offer and an extremely low price—just about half, in fact.

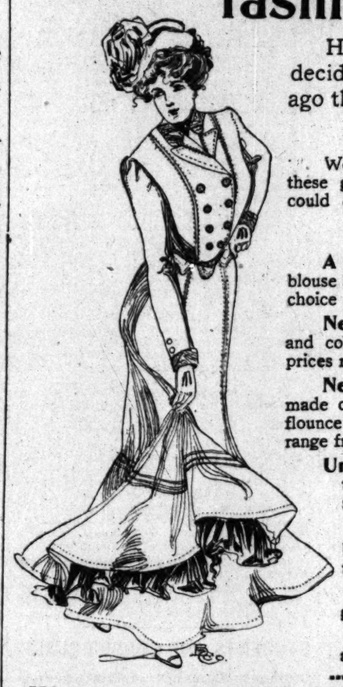
But there are only seven hundred and fifty-six pairs of them—the balance of a big lot bought abroad.

Until now the price has been one dollar a pair, but you've often paid 1.25 for gloves that were not so good.

All are made two-clasp wrists, sewn pique, and, being cut from a slightly heavier leather than the fine dress gloves, are especially suited to street and shopping use—dark tans and reds—in all sizes.

The moment you see these gloves, you'll buy, and the bargain news will travel fast. It's the banner glove offer of the season—per pair, **75c.**

Remarkable bargains in women's fashionable apparel.



Here are some bargains in women's stylish apparel that are decidedly out of the ordinary. We little thought a few weeks ago that we could quote such prices on the new spring styles.

But "it's the unexpected that happens," and along came an offer from a manufacturer who couldn't wait for the spring season to open up.

We'd willingly have paid more had we known how perfectly satisfactory these garments would prove to be, for they are as handsomely made as one could desire.

They come in the very latest and most exclusive styles, elegantly made and trimmed, and are among the best bargains ever offered in this section.

A large assortment of new spring jackets in fly front, Eton and blouse styles, made of black and castor cheviots, broadcloths and coverts—choice at **$10.**

New and stylish blouse suits in various effects—all the best materials and colors—cheviots, broadcloths, venetians, tweeds, crashes and etamines—prices range $30, $25, 22.75, $20, and **$15.**

Newest creations in the nobby peasant and walking skirts—made of meltons, tweeds, and cheviots—handsomely stitched on seams and flounce—all the new shapes of flaring bottom and graduated flounce—prices range from **$5** to **17.50.**

Unlined dress skirts in various new shapes—handsomely stitched and trimmed with taffeta, satin, moire silk and braid on flounce, or flaring seams—at prices ranging from **$5** to **$20.**

Handsome 27-inch coats—all sizes, lined with heavy satin, beautifully stitched and corded—some worth $10, many worth $20—all at the extremely low price of **5.95.**

Basement—Women's Venetian dress skirts, in colors and black, graduated flounce, trimmed with mohair braid, **3.95.**

Women's 27-inch coats, satin lined, many handsomely stitched and corded—at a fourth their regular value—$10 values at **2.50.**

Writing paper and envelopes, 50c.

Main floor.

An exquisite new French paper, the "Toile Damasse," the correct thing for polite correspondence and billets doux.

All the shapes and sizes in vogue today in a diversity of dainty and harmonious tints.

One quire "Toile Damasse" paper with twenty-five envelopes to match, **50c.**

Lamp globes at 50c.

Basement.

Decorated lamp globes in 9 and 10 inch sizes—a great variety of pleasing tints and exquisite floral designs.

All the lamp departments sell them right along for 1.50, but we had a bit of good fortune and consequently supply your lamps with globes at 50c.

Women's knit underwear 50c.

Rare saving opportunity in finely knit underwear that will surely please, for you've been paying considerably more for these qualities.

Fine knit undergarments made of mercerized lisles or cottons, at **50c.**

Ladies' union suits—the celebrated Piqua, made of the finest Egyptian yarn—open across chest or all the way down front—at **50c.**

Mercerized and cotton Swiss vests, imported, fine lace edgings and crochet necks—**50c.**

Umbrella drawers with wide lace trimming—the one perfect shape—white, pink and sky—**50c.**

Extra quality corset covers—wonderfully popular and amazing values—**50c.**

Pearl necklaces, 10c.

Basement.

An extensive importer overstocked—we offered him a mere song for the lot—he had to close out quickly, so accepted without parley.

We're offering you your choice at a price next to nothing.

That's the bargain story of the great assortment of handsome pearl necklaces we've placed on sale at **10c.**

Pound of paper, 10c.

Basement.

It's a linen laid paper—the Mandel special, already famous for its excellence and its low price.

We know you will want more than one pound, so we are making a special price offer, 11 pounds for **$1,** per pound, **10c.**

Kimono sacques, 35c.

Basement.

Those deliciously comfortable negligee garments, whose idea we've borrowed from the bowers and tea gardens of far away Japan.

Exquisite in design and coloring, and made by folks who know how.

Surely you'll not wait for a more favorable chance to buy when we are giving double value for **35c.**

Ladies' ribbed hose, 21c

Basement.

Here's an item that will appeal to the economical side of your nature, a most uncommon bargain.

All the newest designs and fads and some in openwork effects. You'll recognize them as the same grade of goods that are ordinarily retailed for double the amount we ask, **21c.**

Pictures for 10c.

Basement.

Remarkable values in art subjects—an accumulation of odds and ends of attractive pictures, some slightly worn from display, but all handsome and thoroughly desirable for decorative purposes. They'll not last long at the merely nominal price of **15c** and **10c.**

Striking bargains in Austrian china

In the lower priced porcelain wares there's none that surpasses Austrian china in quality, design or attractiveness.

It's one of those latter-day triumphs of the potter's talent.

We've just received a new shipment of choice pieces, handsomely decorated in exquisite patterns, some floral.

Austrian china A. D. cups and saucers—three new decorations—very choice qualities—usually sold at 25c each—now **10c.**

Austrian china bread and butter plates—very handsome designs—choice of four new decorations—25c values to close at **10c.**

Austrian china bouillon cups and saucers—two new decorations in this beautiful ware—reduced from 50c to **25c.**

Nickel-plated towel bar, 20 inches long, ½-inch tubing, post ends—a good opportunity for the housekeeper—75c values at **39c.**

Superb robes of point d'esprit.

You'll think of fairyland when you visit our grand exposition of superb point d'esprit robes.

Simplicity and elegance are wedded in their design; they have a wonderful grace, rare, smart cut and an exclusive finish and tout ensemble which only the Parisian product can ever hope to possess.

They are all ready to slip over your foundation costume, and need only a stitch or two before they are ready to wear.

Chiffon in appliques, in clusters of beautiful little plaitings and in handsome rosettes that are as charming as the real blossoms of a rose garden, and softest decorative fancies in liberty silk are a few of the entrancingly beautiful conceits that are used in their ornamentation.

The prices are a genuine revelation. You've positively no idea at how little expense magnificence in dress may be yours if you accept our aid.

Black, white, evening shades, and the new coffee hues. Similar effects for afternoon wear in beautiful batistes at very low prices.

The new 1902 belt creations.

Despotic Dame Fashion has given belts a good share of her attention this year, and out of hundreds of designs there are only a few that have received her approval.



If you are a smart, up-to-date dresser and closely follow the dictates of fashion you must wear one of the approved styles.

You'll find them all at Mandel's—many of them are exclusive with us and will not be shown elsewhere in the city, so you must come here for correct belt conceits.



The new Gibson belt gives the waist that fascinating contour so much admired—made of fine real seal and patent leather—you cannot be a Gibson girl without one—exclusive with Mandel's at **$2.**



The new coronation belt, made of extra quality satin ribbon with French gray back pieces and clasps to match—at **1.25.**

The nobby tailor-made belt in the new moire—gilt, oxidized and black—at **50c.**

46-in. silk and wool eoliennes and crepe de chines $1.

A magnificent bargain in these new silk and wool fabrics that are already so wonderfully popular for next spring's wear.

They can be made up into beautiful house and evening costumes, and are admirable for fashionable street gowns.

A dollar a yard is an amazingly low price for these fine fabrics. They'd be double were it not that they possess little imperfections so trifling that nobody but an experienced cloth inspector could ever detect them.

All colors and black—virtually $2 qualities—at only **$1.**

Great annual sale of sterling silverware

It seems hardly credible that any one firm in Chicago can sell choice sterling tableware, toilet articles, and the best table cutlery from a third to a half less than all others.

Yet that's precisely what we are doing here during our great annual sale of silverware. This is how we do it: We buy in immense quantities from manufacturers who clear stock at the time they get out their catalogue, for spot cash, thereby securing extraordinary price savings, the benefits of which we transmit to our customers. It's simple enough if one is quick to perceive and take advantage of trade conditions.

Sterling berry bowl—beautiful, heavy rose border, gray finish—a $20 piece for 14.50.
Sterling knives—regularly $18 per dozen, during sale, 12.50.
Sterling sugar bowl and cream pitcher—$15 value—$10.
Sterling bread tray—a genuine bargain at $16—only $10.
Sterling five-piece tea set—splendid value at $150—now $115.
Odd sterling teapots—well worth $22—now $15.
Odd sterling coffee pots—usually sold for $60—now $35.
Sterling five-piece tea set—very heavy—$125 value—at $90.



Sterling flower vases—one-third below regular prices—now **1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.50** and **$3.**

Largest assortment of loving cups and prize cups in the city—priced at **1.50** to **$175.**



Child's three-piece sets—regularly $4, now **2.50.**

That great showing of Oriental rugs of which all Chicago is talking.

A scene as interesting as the much talked of bazaars of Constantinople in our great Oriental rug emporium just now. It's fairly overflowing with the choicest of those much sought Oriental rugs which our rug buyer recently purchased in the Orient.

People come to admire whether they care to buy or not, for these rugs appeal to one's natural love for the beautiful and artistic. What surprises when we tell the prices! Think of it—a rug that lasts a lifetime almost as inexpensive as a domestic made carpet rug.

For instance: You can buy a genuine hand-made India rug, size about 9 feet x 12 feet, at **$47** to **$55.** Those much talked about Khiva rugs for libraries from **$55** to **$125,** and those extremely beautiful Cashmere rugs for parlors and dens, from **$55** to **$175.**

We cannot begin to tell you of the thousands of small Persian and Turkish rugs from **$6** upwards. You must not overlook those beautiful Kis-Kelims from Turkey for your couch cover or drapery.

Our great 20% discount sale of fine shoes ends tomorrow.

Positively your last opportunity to secure those famous Mandel bench-made shoes at 20% less than regular prices.

There'll be wonderful selling today and tomorrow—no question about that.

The finest shoes made—faultless in style, leather, workmanship and fit—at **eighty cents on the dollar.** Our regular stock—the shoes that have made Mandel's shoe section the best shoe store in all Chicago—at **20% discount.**

Plenty of room and plenty of salespeople to quickly and comfortably serve the immense crowds that will certainly come in before the close of this remarkable shoe sale.

Basement—Record-breaking sales here daily, caused by the phenomenal bargains offered in that great Batchelder & Lincoln shoe purchase. Women's $4 shoes, 1.65; women's 3.50 shoes, 1.45; women's $3 shoes, **95c.**

A matchless showing of fine wash fabrics.

One needs but to see our spring showing of these airy tissues to admire and covet them. They show instantly that they have the supreme fineness characteristic of this year's weaves—newest and prettiest of figures, and that there's a diversity that is delightful to the woman who likes to search until she finds just the thing that gratifies her fancy.

They're the goods that are going to array Chicago women in attire of piquant delicacy and diaphanous freshness.

Too many sorts of pretty goods to begin to enumerate them all, yet we might go over a few just to give you a general idea: Batistes, etamines, poplins, grenadines, Swiss muslins, peau de soies, piques, and a host of other delightful washables.

We don't get so many fabrics, nor such choice beauties, nor such bewitching varieties by mere luck. Our buyers are incessantly scanning the wash goods markets of the world, visiting frequently all the leading centers of fabric making and designing.

Exclusive patterns, all of them, without duplicates even in our own stocks. The prices, too, will be a delightful surprise.

Dressing sacques.

Third floor.

Lawn dressing sacques—most of them are lawn—so splendidly adapted to the loose, easy, unconstrained comfort of negligee wear.

Being washable is by no means the least of their attractions.

We've a particularly fine assortment of them now in white and colors—fancy figures and simple stripes—all very cleverly designed and daintily trimmed with lace, embroidery and ribbon.

Plenty, too, of their Japanese cousins—the kimono sacques.

Prices: 1.25, 1.75 and up to **7.50.**

Mandel special trunks

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They've the Mandel name and the Mandel excellence, strong, stanch trunks, made of three-ply veneer wood, covered with heavy canvas. Two heavy leather straps around the body, swinging top tray and extra dress tray, heavy malleable iron corners and clamps.

They're so well made as to defy the baggage smasher.

28-inch	30-inch	32-inch	34-inch
4.75	5.00	5.25	5.50
36-inch	**38-inch**	**40-inch**	
5.75	6.00	6.25	

The 1902 Fasso corsets.

Science and art have co-operated in the production of the new Fasso corset models.

You'll notice the little improvements if you'll call at our corset section.



We've all the standard makes, the most perfect contours yet produced, but the Fasso is the masterpiece in the corset world.

As the new frocks this year are all fashioned after the mould of the corset designs, it is necessary, of course, that you make your selection early.

This is one of fashion's edicts that we were forced to bow to as much as you. In obedience to the decree of the stern goddess we've installed these genuinely magnificent corset assortments.

Our expert fitters will assist you in securing the corsets best suited to your needs, both from a hygienic standpoint and that of stylish effectiveness. The Fasso is exclusive with Mandel's.

Prices are on the well-known Mandel basis of economy.

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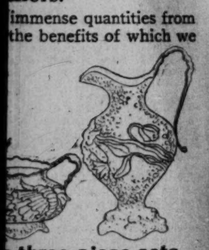
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EDITORIAL SHEET.

The Chicago Daily Tribune.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1902—SIXTEEN PAGES.

TEACH COURTESY TO COUNTY HELP

Bar Association Invites Complaints from Attorneys in Move for Reform.

COURT CLERKS ACCUSED.

Charges of Negligence and Inattention to Duty to Be Investigated.

RECORDS LOST OR MISLAID.

The employé connected with the courts or County Building who thinks he has a life position that justifies discourtesy to visitors is to be investigated by the Public Service committee of the Chicago Bar association.

The committee, which is composed of Otto C. Butz, Charles A. Klotz, Hoyt King, John P. McGoorty, and William H. Johnson, has organized for business and yesterday prepared the following letter, which is being sent to all members of the Bar association:

"A Committee on Public Service has been appointed by the Bar association for the purpose of investigating complaints by members of the bar against county employés attached to the administration of justice in Cook County. Complaints must be in writing, signed by the member making the same, and if of sufficient importance will be immediately investigated. Such complaints should be sent to Charles A. Klotz, Secretary, room 907 Teutonic Building, Chicago."

Sees Room for Reform.

"It is not our intention to persecute any employé," said Chairman Butz, "but we will investigate any complaint that is made to us in writing. There is ample room for reform in the methods in the County Building, and some of the employés need to be shown that they do not own the building. The most important thing to be remedied, perhaps, lies in the maintenance of the records. It is absolutely necessary that they should be complete and easily accessible. They can be made so with the men employed there, and it is of vital importance to lawyers and citizens alike who may have suits to begin in the future that the records be perfected."

The committee already has received word from prominent attorneys that they intend to file complaints. One of the first, it is said, will be against the elevator service. Whether this service is inadequate, or the elevator men do not perform their duty, will be brought out in the investigation.

Found Records on the Floor.

One attorney says he will file complaint against the manner of conducting offices of record in the County Building. He charges that he applied personally to look over an old record. The Clerk could not find it and invited him in to help himself. The attorney says he worked for an hour and finally found the book in a pile that looked like rubbish on the floor. His own hands were black with dirt, his clothes covered with dust, and his equanimity of mind sadly tested.

"I want to know," said this attorney, "why important books of record should be thrown around on the floor where the clerks themselves do not know where to find them. We ought to have found that book in a minute and I should not have been compelled to waste an hour of my time and convert myself into a common porter to find it."

Disappearance of Files.

Another complaint is the disappearance of files. Some of the committeemen have had personal experiences in this line. They assert that strangers to the clerks can enter the county offices and take files away without the clerks demanding a receipt or knowing who he is.

"Only recently I was compelled to go before a Master in Chancery with a copy of the original papers," said Secretary Klotz, "because no trace of the files was to be found and the clerk had no record of their removal. They were important documents, and because of the limited time I had to act it looked as if they had been extracted for a purpose."

The committee will commence operations as soon as a formal complaint is made.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE OPPOSES CIGARETS AND FOOTBALL.

Mr. Brenan Says They Are Twin Evils and Will Move Permission to Establish Anti-Smoking Leagues.

"Cigaret smoking and football playing are twin evils," says School Trustee Thomas Brenan. "Both tend to impair the mind and divert the attention from books. Football occupies time that should be spent in gaining knowledge, while smoking lessens the capacity to absorb knowledge. A combination of these two habits is enough to make a dolt of any boy."

Mr. Brenan will propose at the School Management committee meeting today that anti-cigaret leagues be allowed in the schools. He points to the action of Dr. Fisk of Northwestern Academy as indorsing his view.

The plan to allow leagues was suggested in a petition secured by Mr. Brenan from Harold Lamum and Clifton Rood, pupils in the Doolittle School, asking for permission to organize one. The petition set forth that the use of cigarets by children in the school was continually increasing.

BOMBARD COURT WITH POETRY.

Women Attack Justice Sabath in Verse and Secure an Order That They Shall Be Furnished Chairs.

Justice Sabath has been bombarded with poetry and has surrendered. Women representing charitable and reform associations having business in the Maxwell street police court complained because the habitués of the court, the prisoners, and police, occupied all the chairs, while the women had to stand until such time as they could secure the ear of the justice. Yesterday Miss Minnie F. Low of the Hebrew charities threw four verses at the court. They were entitled "The Injustice of a Justice." One verse is a sample of the others:

While reviewing your clothes line cases
Do you think it is kindly or fair
That women should stand up neglected
While you are at ease in your chair?

Justice Sabath instructed his bailiff to provide chairs for the women hereafter.

SEARCH FOR MISSING ONES.

U. S. Griesbach, Director of Survey at Calcutta, India, Seeks Son Last Heard From in Chicago.

C. S. Griesbach, director of the Geological survey office at Calcutta, India, has written to the Chicago police to find some trace of his son. The son, Walter Singleton Griesbach, is 20 years old and came to Chicago in the autumn of 1897. At the outbreak of hostilities with Spain he joined the Second Illinois Volunteer Infantry. He returned to Chicago at the close of the war, but since then no communication has been received from him.

Miss Margaret Ann Wise left Janesville, O., on Nov. 20, 1901, to visit friends living in Chicago. Since then her son, R. P. Wise, of 1 Second street, Marietta, O., has heard from her.

William Blakey is sought in Chicago by his father, M. S. Blakey of Alma, Ill.

HOW TO OUST TEACHERS

EDUCATORS DISCUSS TREATMENT OF INCOMPETENTS.

Superintendent Carter of Champaign Suggests Remedy Which Meets Opposition from Eastern Delegate Because of the Personal Hardship Involved—Subjects of Discussion Drop Around After School Hours and Hear Their Shortcomings Scored.

How to get rid of inefficient teachers was the question that engaged the attention of the Superintendents' association yesterday afternoon. Many unique methods were suggested and "tricks of the trade" were openly discussed. Superintendent Joseph Carter of Champaign started a lively tilt with the advice:

"Stay up with them all night."

The Superintendents were inclined to consider this too strenuous a method. They believed in the municipal policy of sending poor teachers along to another town, together with the vagrants.

"My plan of getting rid of poor teachers is to invite them to my house and then stay up all night with them teaching them what they ought to know," said Superintendent Carter. "Make them capable, if it is possible."

Repartee Among Delegates.

When Superintendent Carter proposed this plan, Superintendent Blodgett of Syracuse, N. Y., interrupted him by asking what town he came from. He proposed to show that what might be a pleasure to a Superintendent with half a dozen teachers would not be agreeable to another who had 700 teachers to sit up with at night. Superintendent Carter replied that he found it necessary to get rid of some teachers.

Superintendent Enoch Gastman of Decatur was then called upon as the man who holds the record among the Superintendents of the United States, having been in charge of the schools of Decatur for forty years. He told of attending a meeting of an educational association in Chicago in 1863. He said that through kind-heartedness he had failed in one respect in his position, and that was in keeping incompetent teachers.

Teachers Hear Discussion.

The afternoon sessions yesterday were divided up into round table meetings, at which the technical points of Superintendents' methods of education were discussed. Shortly after 4 o'clock a large number of teachers from the public schools swarmed in upon the meeting. They listened with interest to the discussion among the Superintendents of the best methods of getting rid of teachers.

Dr. W. T. Harris, United States Commissioner of Education, and Professor G. Stanley Hall, two of the best known men at the conference, had an argument at the morning session about the fallacy of biological reasoning in educational theories.

Differ on Biological Theories.

Dr. Harris discounted the theories of Max-Müller and a number of other scientists who have reasoned about education on theories deduced from evolution of plants and animals. Dr. Harris believed that plenty of light and fresh air are the necessary things for the education of children. Professor Hall disagreed, and declared biological thinking to be the greatest thing in modern education.

It was decided that the next meeting of the association should be held next winter at New Orleans. The Superintendents will elect their officers for the following year today. Professor G. Stanley Hall is to deliver an address at the morning session.

SCHOOL SYSTEM IN PORTO RICO.

Commissioner of Education Tells of Its Growth Under Control of the United States.

Dr. M. G. Boombaugh, Commissioner of Education for Porto Rico, addressed the department superintendents of the National Educational association at University Hall last evening on the development of the educational system in the island.

"Since the United States assumed control of affairs in Porto Rico," the commissioner said, "there have been 835 new school buildings erected and 60,000 pupils enrolled, while hundreds of thousands are clamoring for admission.

"A firm financial basis for a school fund has been established, so that within eight years under the present system there will be a seat in a schoolhouse for every child in Porto Rico. Normal schools are being established for the purpose of introducing native teachers who can speak the English tongue, and there are now more than 500 teachers of this sort employed.

URGE A RESEARCH WORK RULE.

University Authorities Present Arguments for Definite Limitation to Field Untouched by Investigations.

A limitation of university research work to fields entirely untouched by former investigation was urged at the meeting of the Association of American Universities yesterday at the university rooms in the Studebaker. A paper presented by President G. Stanley Hall of Clarke University sought to establish the definite line between genuine research work and that which sometimes passed under that head.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—President Hadley of Yale.

Vice President—Dean H. S. White of Cornell.

Secretary—President W. R. Harper of Chicago.

Additional members of the Executive committee—Benjamin Ide Wheeler of California and Dean E. A. Birge of Wisconsin.

The final session of the convention will be held this morning, and a banquet will be given tonight at the University club.

HARVARD CLUB AT A BANQUET.

Two Hundred Alumni at the Forty-fifth Annual Meeting of the Chicago Organization.

With cheers for a victorious football team and reminiscences of old college days 200 Harvard men enjoyed the forty-fifth annual banquet of the Harvard club of Chicago last night at the University club. Across the wall where the banqueters could look at it with pride was a banner bearing the inscription, "Harvard 22, Yale 0." F. A. Delano acted as toastmaster. Dean Le Baron Russell Briggs of the Harvard faculty was the guest of honor, taking the place of President Eliot, who was unable to be present. James L. Houghteling of the Yale club was an invited guest. Among the speakers were the Rev. W. Hanson Pulsford and Fletch Dobyns.

Patterson Heads Lincoln Club Ticket.

Alderman James C. Patterson has been nominated for President of the Lincoln club, with Judge Edmund Burke for Vice President, on the "regular" ticket. The election will be held on April 8.

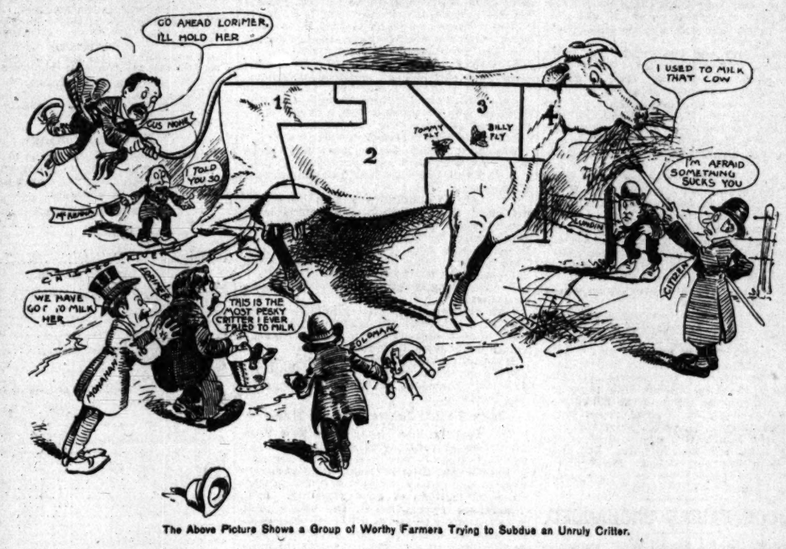
ANTI-LORIMER CARTOON CIRCULAR DISTRIBUTED IN THIRTY-FOURTH WARD.

NOTE.—This is intended as a Companion Picture to the Elegant Certificate of Membership in the Regular 34th Ward Republican Club.

A STORY COMPLETE IN THIS ISSUE

ENTITLED

The 34th Ward Cow; or, the Hard Luck of Farmer Lorimer.



The Above Picture Shows a Group of Worthy Farmers Trying to Subdue an Unruly Critter.

The name of Jonathan Ruxton, of Central Park, is mentioned as a candidate of the Republican Organization for Alderman of the 34th Ward.

Mr. Ruxton is an elegant old gentleman. No one takes exceptions to him as a candidate, but it is known to be a fact that Mr. Ruxton was put in the race by Lorimer and the job-holders, at Lorimer's mansion.

The issue in the coming Primary is clear to every voter: "Whether the office-holders or the citizens control." Go to the Primary early.

Be careful of bogus or trick tickets, as every scheme known to the practical politician will be used on that day to deceive the voters. This is their business, while they think it is only your business to pay taxes.

PRIMARIES HELD MARCH 7TH, 1 TO 7 P. M.

Citizens and Property Owners:

The following is a list of men who hold good positions and are charged to the 34th Ward as her share of the public patronage, practically all residing east of 40th Avenue; or, in other words, where the milk would come from the good old cow shown in the picture:

WM. LORIMER, Ex-Congressman.
JAMES L. MONAGHAN, County Comptroller and brother-in-law of John A. Cooke.
MARK SOLOMAN, clerk in Circuit Court, brother of P. Soloman and brother-in-law of Tom Devenish.
HORACE CHADWICK, Chief Clerk in Assessors' Office and husband of Public School Teacher.
ROXEY NOLAN, Chief of West Park Police and brother-in-law of Wm. Lorimer.
JOHN LORIMER, Clerk in Grain Office, brother of William Lorimer.
—— BIDWELL, Clerk in Grain Office, brother of Joe Bidwell.
TOM MORRISON, Deputy Sheriff and brother-in-law of Joe Bidwell.
JAMES AMBROSE, Clerk in Circuit Court, a relative.
GUS NOHE, Member of Legislature, and hustler.
WILLIAM NOHE, Clerk in County Clerk's Office, and a son of his father—Gus.
WARWICK A. SHAW, Attorney for State Board of Health, a brother.
PHILIP SOLOMAN, Clerk, brother of Mark Soloman.
ADRIAN VANDERPOOL, Clerk in West Park Office.
PAT KEELEY, Clerk in Criminal Court.
DAVE CAMPBELL, Clerk in Superior Court.
—— ULLRICH, Clerk in Grain Office.
A. T. HUCKSHOLD, Deputy Sheriff.
ERNEST RYAN, Valet, and has stenographic contract in Criminal Court.
WILLIAM NORRIS, Clerk in Election Commissioners' Office.
TOM DEVENISH, Clerk in State Employment Office. A Missionary—brother-in-law of Mark Soloman.
WILLIAM DUNN, Clerk in Circuit Court—Harmony advocate.
CHARLES TODD, Clerk in Circuit Court.
FRED WILMER, Engineer in Garfield Park. Previously an Anti-.
CHARLES WHITE, WILLIAM NOHE, ED FLINT, —— FIFIELD, H. FOSTER, JOHN PASL—all good positions. Besides several laborers in the West Side Parks.

Their salaries amount to

$51,000.00 PER YEAR

of your taxes, and this is the so-called Regular Republican Club of the 34th Ward. These are the same men who are playing the "FOXY GRANDPA" act with Jonathan Ruxton for Alderman.

Motto: If you do find anything you cannot carry, get your brother-in-law's assistance.

Moral: Be a good boy and some day, perhaps, you will have a brother-in-law.

This cartoon circular, copies of which were scattered broadcast throughout William Lorimer's home ward, the Thirty-fourth, yesterday, is another challenge issued by the anti-Lorimer Republicans of that district, who are waging a vigorous campaign to defeat the ex-Congressman at the Aldermanic primaries on March 7. For months the multi-colored and engrossed membership certificates which have been presented to each member of the "regular," or Lorimer ward club, have been objects of wonder and awe to voters in less strenuous districts. The cartoon poster is intended as a caricature of these highly gilded certificates of membership. The Thirty-fourth Ward is represented as the cow which Lorimer milks for the benefit of the thirty or more of his lieutenants who draw fat salaries. The kinship existing between the leading members of this political clan is pointed out. The lines on the cow represent the alleged gerrymander of primary district. John J. McKenna, who shouts "I told you so," was cut out of the ward by the last redistricting, as was ex-State Senator Lundin, who peeps through the barbed wire fence. "Tommy Fly" and "Billy Fly" represent a couple of ward hustlers.

POLISH UP RAILWAY MEN

PURE ENGLISH AND GOOD FORM REQUIRED ON NORTHWESTERN.

Familiar Vernacular of Rails to Be Abolished in Large Measure After April 1—Politeness on the Part of Train Employes, Even in Greater Degree than Usual, to Be Demanded—Rules Prepared and Examination to Test Familiarity with Them.

Politeness, such as rules the social circles of the best type; model English, of the sort taught in universities; and uniforms which could grace the neighborhood parlors of Prince Henry—these are to be on the regular schedule of the Chicago and Northwestern road after April 1.

A new code of rules, embracing these departures, has been issued by the company, and trainmen are being examined as to their knowledge of the subject. Every day from 200 to 300 of the employés file into the offices in the various yards and for ten or twelve hours ponder over whether a sidetrack is an "auxiliary," whether a newsboy has the right of speaking before he is spoken to, or whether hats should be taken off when passing through the diner or the parlor car.

The company has dropped many of the good old Americanisms, and in their place has formulated terms euphonious enough to suit even Professor Triggs.

Whistle an "Audible Signal."

There is to be no such thing on the Northwestern road as a "whistle signal"—unless it is talked over in the roundhouse. That screeching sound has become "an audible signal." The man gazing from his window in Cuyler is to no longer see "the running of trains," but instead watches the "movement of trains." When trains are disconnected in the future they do not "break apart," as they used to, but they "part" or "separate."

On April 1 there will be no "engineers" on the road, but all will be "enginemen." When trains are delayed along the road, and the conductor was asked the reason, they used to say: "We're sidetracked." Now they will inform the suburbanite that "this train is on an auxiliary waiting for a train of superior right to pass."

Of course, these new terms will not give a great amount of light to the untraveled citizen, but he, too, will be educated in time and come to understand that the Northwestern is pioneer in the adaptation of university English to railroad affairs. His education is expected to be far more rapid than that of the man who used to be called "the hind end brakeman," but who is now to be known as "the man in charge of the rear end of the train."

More Politeness Required.

But introduction of model language is not all. The men are to learn true politeness. For years the Northwestern has been known to have one of the best and most considerate of working forces, but this is not enough.

Conductors were expected in the past to "remain with their train until the passengers have alighted." Now, "on arrival of their train at terminal station they must remain in full uniform until passengers have alighted." There are to be no more cases of passengers going by their stations, for "on leaving a station passenger brakemen will pass through the train, from the front to the rear, and when about one-third the length of the car from the forward end, with closed doors, will announce in a clear and distinct voice the name of the next station, and then proceed to within the same distance from the rear end and make the same announcement."

Among the other rules to be enforced are the following:

Suburban passenger brakemen will announce distinctly in each coach, immediately before the arrival of the train in Chicago, the following: "Do not forget your parcels and umbrellas."

In passing through the dining cars the cap will be removed.

Passengers must never be ejected from the cars for any cause except at a regular open station. Trainmen must not eject women or children of tender age; and any other person unattended, in such a condition of body or mind as to be incapable of caring for himself, must be placed in the custody of the nearest station agent.

It is especially enjoined on passenger train employés to be polite and courteous to all. Coarse and vulgar language from any one employed on the trains is positively prohibited, under the penalty of prompt dismissal.

These rules were framed by R. H. Aishton, General Superintendent, and W. A. Gardner, General Manager. They contain also the instructions as to the full duty of the men. They are framed in accord with the standard rules adopted by the American Railway association. It is expected they will be adopted in part or in full by all of the other Western roads—going into force on the Union Pacific about the same time as on the Northwestern.

The men on the Milwaukee division already have struggled with the examination. Those on the Galena division will finish up this week, and those on the Northern Wisconsin and other divisions will be tested in Milwaukee and Janesville within a few days. The tests are in charge of an Assistant Division Superintendent, an "engineman," and a conductor.

Pleased with Results.

"There is nothing of great significance in this test," stated one of the men in the office of the General Superintendent. "The rules have been changed to meet the requirements of the standard tests, and the new code is the most complete of its kind in the country. If the men try the tests and fail they will be given another chance. Most of the rules are merely incorporated for the first time, though they have been in force for some years. The men take kindly to the new instructions, and we are pleased with the results. About 4,000 men will be affected."

Countess to Be Married Again.

A marriage license was granted yesterday to Dr. George E. Pickering and the Countess Loleta Bolini della Predom. The Countess has attracted some attention on a number of occasions, and Dr. Pickering's name was identified with that of the Countess when she was before the Juvenile Court on Monday morning.

Money Aids Prof. Loeb's Researches.

Professor Jacques Loeb of the University of Chicago has been granted a portion of the Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson fund of $26,000 in order that he may continue investigations in artificial parthenogenesis.

BOY DIES; BLAME TEACHER

SAMUEL SCHWARTZ TAKEN ILL AFTER BEING SHAKEN.

Physicians Say Heart Disease Was the Cause, but Miss Agnes Morange Will Be Called Before Committee for Inquiry—President Harris Condemns Any Corporal Punishment—Policeman Called to Arrest a 12-Year-Old Pupil for Choking Miss Gerlach.

As the result of illness following punishment alleged to have been administered by a teacher in the Foster School, Samuel Schwartz died at the Michael Reese Hospital. Charges were filed yesterday against Miss Agnes Morange, the teacher, by B. F. Schwartz, 234 De Koven street, the boy's father.

Physicians say the boy was suffering from heart disease, the result of inflammatory rheumatism, and death was likely to follow the slightest shock. Even if no shock occurred they say death could not have been postponed long.

Story of the Punishment.

According to data obtained by Supervisor Megan, it appears that on Jan. 30 as the Schwartz boy was passing into the school he was dragged from the line and thrown to the ground by Miss Morange, who was on duty in the upper hall. The boy was leading the line and was supposed to keep the children behind him in order. As the line passed the teacher Hymon Rocklin, who was immediately behind Schwartz, committed a misdemeanor for which he was called into the hall by Miss Morange. Schwartz did not hear the teacher's command and seized Rocklin and attempted to drag him back into place, whereupon, it is said, the teacher caught Schwartz by the collar and he fell to the floor.

The teacher says that the boy then went home, while Rocklin says that she slapped him on the cheek twice when he had arisen from the floor. At noon the boy went home, where he became ill. A few days later he was removed to the Michael Reese Hospital, where he died on Feb. 19.

According to physicians the boy had been suffering from a lesion of the heart, which was likely to result fatally at any time. Further investigation will be made by the School Management committee and a trial will be held.

"We cannot allow any corporal punishment in the schools," said President Harris, "and although I have no opinion regarding the merits of the charges, the teacher will be dropped if it is found that she had violated the rules. More than that, if it is found that the charges are substantiated, I shall see that the case goes before the grand jury."

Boy Chokes His Teacher.

A policeman was called from the Maxwell Street Station during the forenoon to the Jirka School to arrest Joseph Hodek, a 12-year-old boy, who had been choking his teacher, Miss Mabel Geriach. The boy attacked Miss Geriach because she had written a note to his parents complaining of his unruly behavior. The boy was held to the Juvenile Court.

School Employes Being Naturalized.

An increase has been noted during the last two weeks in the number of people naturalized. This is said to be due to the order entered by the Board of Education requiring all persons in their employment who were not citizens to become naturalized. Over 100 school teachers have taken out papers in the last two weeks.

HOPE FOR WOMAN WHO IS SHOT.

Surgeons Cannot Find Bullet in Mrs. Laechle's Body, but They Issue Encouraging Reports.

Surgeons made a number of unsuccessful attempts yesterday to locate the bullet in the body of Mrs. William Laechle, who was shot on Tuesday by her neighbor, Mrs. James Whittacker of Rogers Park. Despite the fact that the bullet cannot be found, it is said that Mrs. Laechle stands a fair chance for recovery. During the morning Mrs. Whittacker appeared in the Sheffield Avenue Police Court, and her case was continued for ten days. She is at liberty under bonds of $5,000.

WARM FIGHT IN LORIMER'S WARD

"Antis" Meet to Openly Declare War on Methods of Machine Leader.

USE CARTOON IN ISSUE.

One Speaker Advises Force to Prevent Intimidation at the Primaries.

ALL PRESENT ARE PLEDGED.

Republicans of the Thirty-fourth Ward rallied at Rebmann's Hall last night and served notice on ex-Congressman William Lorimer that any attempts to "juggle," the Aldermanic and town primaries on March 7 would not be tolerated. Reports were received from workers in every section of the ward which formed the basis for the claim that the anti-Lorimer faction, headed by Aldermen Rector and Hackley, Charles Woodward, and others, would possibly encompass the defeat of the ex-Congressman in his own home ward.

Urges Force to Secure Rights.

"If Lorimer gets his plugugilies, imported from other portions of the city and decorated with badges, to block the lines of voters," said D. A. Clithero, "my advice to you is to conduct your primaries with baseball bats. If they want a riot, start one. I'm going to cast my vote, and I'm going to allow no Lorimer henchman to put me out of the line if I have to go to jail to do it. We are not free men if we allow such fellows to distate to this ward and city.

"Why, Lorimer and his jobholders would put a yellow dog on a ticket if they wished and then say to the people, 'Here is your ticket. How do you like it?' But we must work and organize. 'Bill' Lorimer is the same smooth, fellow he always was."

Organization and systematic work on primary day was the point emphasized. Jonathan Ruxton, Lorimer's candidate for Alderman, was praised personally.

"What we detest is the methods employed in nominating him," said the Rev. E. T. Fleming.

The cartoon circulars, which have entered into the fight, were distributed broadcast at the meeting. Hereafter the election cry in this ward will be in part:

"Have you received any milk from the cow or have you been supplying fodder for the cow?"

The public demand that will be made is:

"Turn the cow around and let Lorimer provide the fodder for a time."

"Turn the Cow Around," Says Rector.

"The udder of that cow," said Alderman Rector, "represents the $51,000 taken from you taxpayers annually to pay Lorimer's job-holders in this ward alone. 'Tommy Fly' and 'Billy Fly' are the missionaries—Tom Devenish and William Dunne—who were sent out in an effort to convert us. Now, we're going to turn the cow around. Mr. Lorimer wants more cream, but he has had enough."

"We are going to defeat Lorimer," said Charles Woodward. "When he is down in his own ward, he will be down in the county and State, and he can retire to that mansion of his on the boulevard. There he can rest in peace and not be troubled with jobseekers or the thought of the number of coal contracts he wants to get from the public crib."

Censure for Gerrymander.

"We want to defeat Lorimer," said the Rev. Mr. Fleming, "because we want a leader who does not stoop to brokerage of public offices. We want a man who has a larger interest in the ward than merely to farm our public positions for his own aggrandizement."

A score of others, including Wilson Brooks, who presided; Dr. H. J. Stewart, Howard Ames, W. P. Stone, Willard A. White, Henry E. Rebmann, and others, denounced the attempted gerrymander of the ward. They claimed that the "antis" can secure thirty-seven of the sixty delegates allotted to the ward.

Lately Mr. Lorimer has been holding "receptions" at a number of private residences.

"Those receptions are prayer-meetings," said Alderman Rector. "They are a confession of weakness. Now Mr. Lorimer seeks the people; before, the people had to seek Mr. Lorimer."

Circular letters have been sent through the ward asking Republicans to join in the elimination of the "one-man power and boss rule." If the Election Commissioners decide with Lorimer in the gerrymander case the matter will be contested in the County Court.

COUGHLIN TO HAVE OPPONENT.

David Frank Formally Announces Himself as Candidate for Republican Nomination for Alderman.

Formal announcement was made yesterday of the candidacy of David Frank for the Republican nomination for Alderman in the First Ward, and his attempt to defeat Alderman Coughlin for the election. At the same time Alderman William Hale Thompson stated he would support Mr. Frank. The latter is a member of the real estate and loaning firm of Hart & Frank, and lives at the Auditorium Annex. He is a man of considerable property and hopes to be elected through a union of the Republicans and Tilden Democrats. At the same time Alderman Coughlin and his friends declare they are not alarmed.

Charles Nagle of the Twentieth Ward filed a protest against the districting of that ward by Committeeman Moxley before the Board of Election Commissioners yesterday. His objection was to the Eighth Primary District, the polling place for which he said was inaccessible, it being placed in the extreme western end of the district.

The protest against the makeup of the Twelfth District of this ward was withdrawn on an agreement that a precinct should be cut off to bring the number of Republican voters under 800.

Committeemen McMahon and Beilnske of the Eleventh Ward withdrew their protest against the Democratic districting of that ward. They were acting in the interest of the nomination of ex-Alderman Rhode, and it is supposed they received an intimation from the Mayor, who wants Alderman Byrne renominated, to stop the fight. McMahon happens to be on the city pay roll.

The Democratic contest in the Fifth Ward was also settled by Alderman Kent agreeing to make the changes in the location of polling places asked for by Fred Ebert, his opponent for the nomination.

COAL COMPANY BRANCHES OUT.

Weaver Concern Will Handle Anthracite and Has Secured Options on Lands in Scranton Districts.

The Weaver Coal company will embark in the anthracite branch of the business, and to that end has secured options on coal lands in Pennsylvania. The company has secured dockage facilities and its coal will be shipped by lake. The lands on which options have been secured are in the Scranton district. The negotiations have been pending for some time. The new business will be assumed at once.

HISTORIC WHALING BARK WRECKED AS AN OBSTRUCTION TO NAVIGATION



[From a photograph taken for THE TRIBUNE.]

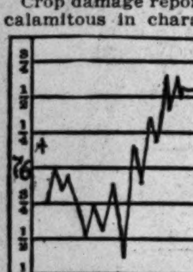
After having braved the storms of many seas, seen over forty years of actual service, and been exhibited to foreigners at the World's Fair in ....3 as an example of an American whaler, the Progress met ignominious destruction by fire in the South Chicago harbor, where it had lain dismantled for several years. The Progress was built at New Bedford in 1848, and for many years sailed the polar seas as a whaler. At the World's Fair it lay near the caravels in the lagoon. The torch was applied by James Caughey of the wrecking firm of Caughey & Smith, who had sailed on the bark in the early '80s. The boat obstructed navigation, hence the order for its destruction.

WHEAT UP ON LOSS CLAIMS

CROP DAMAGE REPORTS FROM SOUTHWEST NUMEROUS.

They Induce Heavy Covering by Shorts After Early Break on Weak Cables and Large Receipts—Buying by Local Professionals Causes Sharp Upturn in Corn—May Oats One Cent Higher, with Patten Buying—Raid on Pork.

Crop damage reports, some of them almost calamitous in character, turned a weak wheat market into a strong one, forcing a rally of 1¼c from the low point, with closing prices about the top ones and showing net gains for the day of ⅜-½c. The early weakness was on fine weather, larger receipts at Minneapolis, selling by the Northwest and local bears, and lower Liverpool cables. Larger purchases of cash wheat in the Southwest were considered more important early than the claims of crop damage, but when the market had started up, with buying for Southwest account a factor in the rally, nothing but the claims of more or less extensive ruin to the crop cut much figure in pit sentiment, shorts who put little credence in them covering because other people credited them, and the market was strong. Opening prices were ⅛c to ⅛c off from 76c to 75⅞c for May, and there was a dip to 75⅝c. The market then worked up to 76⅛c and held so firmly above the even figure that in the last hour there was a quick rally to 76⅝c, largely on covering by pit shorts. There was commission house selling on this rally, but the market held well, helped by corn, and closed at 76½-⅝c. July sold at 77c and closed ⅛c lower. The early selling, which counted most against the price, was by Cudahy brokers and Richardson. Northwest houses were steady sellers of July. On the break the seaboard sent buying orders, there was buying by Ware-Leland, Bartlett-Frazier, Logan, Harris, and McReynolds, who took large quantities off the market, and as the price firmed St. Louis concerns bought freely. Patten was a buyer. Pit traders were bearish and sold early, but covered over 76c.



May Wheat Range.

Claim Crop Is Hurt.

Crop damage claims came thick and fast and became effective finally. Kansas City reported numerous complaints there from southern Kansas and Oklahoma, specifying one farmer who reported 1,500 acres "nearly wiped out." The damage in sections of Nebraska was reported from 25 to 75 per cent. It seemed singular that southern Kansas and Oklahoma, the sections reporting the most damage, should have sold cash wheat more freely than in months, reliable Chicago houses reporting acceptances of 70,000 bu, and the Kansas City people sending the crop damage claims tried to strengthen their case by denying that there had been any country sales. There were reports of poor crop conditions also from Indiana and Tennessee, and the report that the rainfall in Kansas during the last two months had only been one-third the normal had some effect.

The Northwest had 430 cars, compared with 230 last year, and primary points had 572,716 bu, compared with 446,781 bu a year ago. Winter wheat market receipts were only 4,000 bu larged than their shipments. Clearances were 275,854 bu and export sales from 176,000 bu to 304,000 bu were reported from New York. Local sales of 192,000 bu were reported, but 132,000 bu were at Buffalo or the seaboard, 10,000 bu were taken by one shipper from another by buying the February in the pit at 2½c under May, and the remaining 50,000 bu were Manitoba No. 2 Northern in bond. Minneapolis stocks were estimated to decrease 200,000 bu for the week. St. Louis was strong, July ⅝c higher, and May ⅞-1c higher. Kansas City July gained ⅞c, May only ¼-⅜c.

Liverpool, which was comparatively steady the day before, following a sharp break here, made up for it by a break of ¼-⅜d on futures, after an advance here. The weakness was ascribed to a poor demand for cargoes. Spot was steady to ¾d higher for hard Kansas. Antwerp lost ⅝c.

Corn Displays Strength.

Corn had about the same range as wheat and like it closed at the top, but the early break was not as sharp and the gain was larger, ⅞c for May and September and ½-⅝c for July. Continued buying by the local leaders, who returned to the bull side on the recent break, Comstock, Bartlett, and Patten, the latter an open buyer, accounted for most of the strength. Reports of smaller country offerings was a bull help, although some houses had more liberal acceptances than before. The local shipping demand was only fair, but foreigners continued buying in a small way at the seaboard, a factor of even more sentimental than actual help. The gain in wheat was a help and on the last ½c of the advance local and Southwest shorts covered liberally, while some of the longs took profits through Lake-Leash and others. Cudahy was a leading seller of July and September. May sold from 59⅝c to 60⅞c, and closed at 60⅜c. July closed at 60½-⅝c. There was a gain of ¾-⅞c at St. Louis and ⅝-½c at Kansas City.

Local receipts for the day were 100,350 bu and shipments were only 8,935 bu. The inspection sheet showed 113 cars, none contract, with 150 estimated for today. Harris, McReynolds and Bartlett-Frazier led the commission buying. Primary receipts were 402,546 bu, compared with 1,054,695 bu a year ago. St. Louis and Kansas City receipts were 11,000 bu in excess of shipments. Clearances were only 4,629 bu. Local sales of 24,000 bu were reported, and the seaboard reports of export sales ranged from 16,000 bu to 40,000 bu. Liverpool was strong, futures up ¼d, and spot ¼d to ½d higher.

Oats Situation Improved.

As compared with Tuesday there was an improvement of almost 1c in May oats, the advance in deferred deliveries being smaller, ⅝c in July and ⅜c in September. While the market received some sympathetic strength from other grain it also had an independent strength of its own. Patten was considerable of a factor, being an open buyer of both July and May. His operations, however, were not heavy, as he did not take over 50,000 bu of May and about twice as much of July.

The May opening, 42½c, was within ⅛c of low for the day. A little sold at 42⅝c, and then an upturn began which put the price to a fraction over 43c. Then it eased back to 42⅞-⅞c, and toward the close became stronger than at any previous time, selling at 43½c, and closing 43⅜-½c. July ranged from 34⅞-5c to 35⅞c, and September from 30⅛c to 30⅝c, both closing at outside prices. Some of the selling was by elevator interests, presumably against cash purchases. There were rumors that provision traders were taking a little July early, but later this interest was clearly on the selling side. Local receipts were 90 cars, 19 of them being contract. The withdrawals were 3,550 bu from regular houses and 9 cars from unlicensed. The cash market was moderately active, sales of 150,000 bu for shipment being reported. There are inquiries here for prices on round lots for shipment to south Africa, which was a new feature. Seaboard clearances were 3,600 bu.

Liquidation in Pork.

Pork broke badly under liquidation of long product and to a certain extent carried lard and ribs down with it. Between early and late sales there was a decline of 30c on May pork, from $15.45 to $15.15, only 2½c of the loss being recovered at the close, when the quotation was $15.17½. As for several days past, Wright was the raider. His early operations were helped by a weak hog market, which was 5c lower than Tuesday's average. Receipts were 44,000, with 38,000 estimated for today. Eight Western packing points reported 93,700 head, against 88,300 the previous week and 96,500 the previous year. Lard and ribs moved sympathetically with pork throughout the session, but were not as weak. May lard ranged between $9.32½ and $9.20 and ribs from $8.37½ to $8.30, both closing at the inside. At no time did the market have any packing support. Liverpool was from 6d to 1s lower on hams. Shipments of cured meats were 1,754,000 lbs, against 2,869,000 lbs last year, and of lard 1,807,000 lbs, compared with 1,491,000 lbs a year ago.

There was only a moderate trade in rye, but prices were higher, May selling from 57½c to 58c, closing at the top. Opening sales were at 57⅝c. July was at the May price. Only 1 car was received.

Barley continued steady, poor screenings being quotably higher at a range of 41@53c. Choice might have brought 55c. The malting range was about 58@62c. Twenty-two cars were received.

Timothy seed was a little softer, March nominally $6.45@6.50. Cash was firm, though only small lots were on the market. Prices ranged from $5.80 to $6.10. Clover was nominally unchanged at $8.80 for March.

Slightly easier prices ruled on flax seed, in which trade was dull. May sold sparingly at $1.69½. This was also the spot price. Southwestern was quoted $1.64. There were 7 cars here, 21 at Duluth, and 19 at Minneapolis.

Range of Prices.

Grain and provision futures ranged as follows:

	Feb. 25.	High.	Low.	Closed yesterday.	Closed Feb. 27, 1901.
WHEAT.					
Feb	73⅞	....	....	74¼	74⅝
May ...	76⅛-¼	76⅝	75⅝	76½-⅝	76
July ...	76⅛	77	75⅞-¾	76¼	74¾
Sept ...	75⅞	76⅝	75¼	76⅜	....
CORN.					
Feb	58	....	....	58¾	38⅞
May ...	60	60⅞	59⅝	60⅜	40¾
July ...	60	60⅜	59½-⅝	60½-⅝	40⅛
Sept ...	58⅞-9	59⅝	58½	59⅝	....
OATS.					
Feb	41⅞	....	....	42⅝	24½
May ...	42½	43¼	42⅝	43⅜-½	25⅛
July ...	35⅛-¼	35⅞	34⅞-5	35⅞	....
Sept ...	30¼	30⅜	30⅛	30⅝	....
MESS PORK.					
Feb	15.27½	....	....	14.95	13.95
May ...	15.52½	15.45	15.15	15.17½	14.15
July ...	15.70	15.60	15.30	15.30	....
LARD.					
Feb	9.17½	......	......	9.07½	7.42½
May ...	9.35-7½	9.32½	9.20	9.20	7.52½
July ...	9.47½-50	9.45	9.32½-5	9.32½-5	7.55
SHORT RIBS.					
Feb	8.30	......	......	8.20	7.05
May ...	8.40	8.37½	8.30	8.30	7.10
July ...	8.50-2½	8.45	8.40	8.52½-5	......

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	No. 2 and better.	No. 3.	Low grade.	Total.
Winter wheat	3	4	8	15
Spring wheat	6	6	5	17
Corn	..	93	20	113
Oats	18	57	15	90
Rye	1	..	..	1
Barley	..	12	10	22
Totals	28	172	58	258

Inspected out: 4,000 bu winter wheat, 5,000 bu spring wheat, 1,150 bu corn, 3,550 bu oats. From unlicensed elevators: 10 cars winter wheat, 26 cars and 21,000 bu spring wheat, 35 cars corn, 9 cars oats.

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—In slightly better foreign inquiry, but foreign bids out of line. Winter patents, Southern, $3.80@4.00; spring, special brands, $4.10@4.20; hard patents, $3.60@3.80; white rye, brls, $2.85@2.95.

BRAN—Quiet. Sales, billed through, sacks included, $16.00.

WINTER WHEAT—Quiet and slow but firm. Sales, free on board: No. 3 red, 78⅝@79¼c; No. 2 red, 80@80⅜c; No. 2 hard, 75⅝@77⅜c; not graded, 2c over May.

SPRING WHEAT—Quiet. Sale, in store and to go: No. 1 Northern, 15,000 bu, 2½c under May; No. 2 Northern [Manitoba], 50,000 bu at 2c under May. Free on board: No. 4, 72c; No. 3, 72¼c.

CORN—Demand good and prices ¼c higher. Sales in store and to go; No. 3, 50,000 bu, on p. t.; No. 3 yellow, 58c; No. 3 white, 59c. On track and free on board: No. 4, 56⅝@58¼c; No. 3, 56⅝@58⅝c; No. 3 yellow, 58@58¼c; No. 3 white, 59c; ears, 58@59½c. Billed through: No. 4, 56½@57c; No. 3, 55½@56⅝c; No. 3 yellow, 56@57¼c; No. 3 white, 58@58¼c; No. 2 white, 59c.

OATS—In good demand at ½c advance. Sales in store and to go: No. 2, 42⅞c; white clipped, 150,000 bu on p.t. On track and free on board: No grade, 34@38c; No. 4, 41½c; No. 4 white, 42@43c; No. 3, 42⅝c; No. 3 white, 43@44c; No. 2, 42⅝@43c; No. 2 white, 43½@45c. Billed through: No. 4 white, 42½@43c; No. 3 white, 43@43⅜c. At the river: No. 4 white, 41@41½c; No. 3 white, 42@42½c.

RYE—Stronger. Sales on track: No. 2, 58c.

PROVISIONS—Weak. Cash lots mess pork, new, $15.00@15.10; lard, $9.07½@9.20; short ribs, $8.15@8.35, according to weight.

LARD OIL—Steady. Prime winter stained, 78c.

COOPERAGE—Steady. Ash pork brls, 80@82½c; oak, 82½@85c; lard tcs, $1.02½@1.05.

WHISKY—Basis finished goods, $1.31.

HAY—Steady. Receipts, 1,278 tons; shipments, 140 tons. Sales on track: Choice timothy, $13.50; No. 1 timothy, $12.00@13.00; not graded timothy—$10.00@11.00; choice prairie, Iowa, $12.00; No. 1 prairie, Nebraska, $9.00@9.50; No. 2 prairie, State, $8.00, Dakota $8.00; No. 3 prairie, State, $6.50; No. 4 prairie, $5.50; not graded prairie, Iowa, $10.00.

Trade Gossip on' Change.

Estimated arrivals for today are: Wheat, 20 cars; corn, 150 cars; oats, 80 cars; hogs, 42,000 head.

Memberships are now quoted at $4,200 sellers, with $4,000 bid.

The directors are expected to make a ruling next Tuesday in the F. G. Logan membership case, which is considered important as establishing a precedent in cases of special partnerships.

It was a Patten day in the grain pits. The May oats bull was an open buyer in that pit for the first time in weeks, not on a large scale but enough to help in causing an advance of 1c. It was also taken as a notice to those who had concluded he was well out of oats that they were wrong. Patten was also a large buyer of corn, and there were evidences that he helped the rally in wheat.

The crop killer held the center of the stage in wheat speculation yesterday and accomplished a rally of 1¼c from the low point early in the session, made on a series of bearish items in news and statistics and free selling by local bears. The rally brought about a net gain of ⅜-½c for the day. The crop damage claims came from Indiana and Tennessee, but Kansas City was the distributing point for the most serious reports. It was claimed the crop, now uncovered, looked so bad in sections of Nebraska that a loss of 25 to 75 per cent was certain. There were reports from McPherson County, Kas., that the general appearance of the fields was unsatisfactory, some fields thought dead, others injured 25 per cent, some not hurt. The damage claims were reinforced by the statement of the Kansas City Star that, with all the snowfall, precipitation over the wheat belt for January and February is less than one-third of normal. This was a surprise to the trade generally, but the best authorities agree that the ground in Kansas and Oklahoma is dry, and unless there is a generous rainfall soon the crop damage expert will receive more respectful attention than usual at this time of the year. It will undoubtedly take a few weeks of growing weather to determine the condition of the plant and the extent of the damage, but there will be plenty of time before that for shorts to be made uncomfortable. It was curious that sales of wheat by country dealers and presumably therefore by farmers in southern Kansas and Oklahoma, where the greatest amount of damage was claimed, were larger than any day before this year.

South Africa Needs Oats.

New York exporters wired Chicago yesterday for a price on 300,000 bu to 500,000 bu heavy white clipped oats for April shipment to south Africa. A price was made by a local elevator interest, which is said to be able to fill the order and then refill it if necessary, and at better price than the oats could be placed for in the country today. The offer was cabled to London yesterday afternoon and may result in business today, but there is a suspicion on the cash side of the floor that nothing will come of it. Last fall the English government bought about 700,000 bu oats here through Callaghan and Pfarrius, New York exporters, for shipment to south Africa. The price was from 5c to 7c lower than current cash prices, however. It is claimed there are 6,000,000 bu Russian oats in London and that the English government would be more likely to secure its supplies there, as prices here are above an export basis. However, the inquiry for offers was made as the result of some correspondence, and if the sale should go through it will be a decided encouragement to the bulls. Local stocks are so small not many firms in the trade here could fill such an order.

The Calumet Grain company, on the basis of answers to a circular letter of inquiry from 600 farmers and dealers in Illinois, Indiana, and Iowa as to present supplies of coarse grain in farmers' hands, estimate total reserves of corn in the country as 400,000,000 bu and of oats 180,000,000 bu, compared with 776,000,000 bu and 292,000,000 bu last year. They say: "The dealers account for the present increased movement of corn by stating that the small country elevators have been rather afraid of its keeping qualities. They add that supplies will be materially reduced at home within the next thirty days, due to extra feeding on account of farm work, and also that considerable stuff will be required for seed and fodder, that after this run of grain is over little stuff will be moved until after the planting season."

"Now that the crop-killer has made his appearance," says Jackson, "we may look for an erratic market. Our opinion is that there has been no damage worth mentioning and that the large acreage of 32,000,000 acres will tend to offset even a material decline in the condition. The increase in the Southwestern movement does not point to any serious apprehension in that direction."

Good Trade Outlook South.

Grain shippers have some hopes of a better Southern trade for a few months. Joseph Gregg had the following from the Adams Grain company of Charlotte, N. C.: "The trade in grain through January has been the heaviest we have ever known in the month of January, and it has been entirely on the hand-to-mouth order simply to supply the cash demand. The Southern merchants will begin their contracts with farmers for their year's supplies about March 1, and from that time on until crops are laid by the demand will be extremely heavy. This, of course, is nothing new. It is always the case, and will be heavier this year than usual because of the fact that the grain crops all the way through failed last year and no substitutes were raised."

"Kansas City and the Southwest," says Richardson, "filled this market full of crop damage news, and whether true or not it had its effect. Our acceptances of hard wheat in Kansas and Oklahoma were the largest during the last three months and right from the territory that was crying damage. It is too early to tell if there is any damage, but there will be no lack of reports."

"We have had inquiries for flour from several foreign markets today," said B. A. Eckhart, "and domestic buyers are showing more interest than for some time. I think if the wheat market should sell off 1c or 2c more we will do quite a business, and it will then be on the basis of its intrinsic value. If the market should simply hang around this level buyers will still hold off. They seem to feel that anything over 75c for wheat is a high price this year."

Members of the directory are gratified at the action of the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce in beginning an active fight on bucket shops. "It is another step," said Charles H. ReQua of the Market Report committee, "in enforcing the determination of this board that the bucket shop must go. As the result of the action of the Milwaukee Chamber recently the bucket shops there have been closed, There are some still running in the Southwest, where some of the board's suits are still pending, but they have been badly scotched. There are a good many in Indiana, but we are preparing to open vigorous war on them."

PRODUCE PRICES UNCHANGED.

Buying in Only a Small Way, with the Market About as Recently Quoted.

There was a generally slow market in farm produce yesterday, neither the local buyers nor shippers being anxious for supplies. Eggs were slightly firmer, consumption having been helped by the recent decline. Receipts were 2,650 cases, about the same as the previous Wednesday. Butter continues slow and steady—slightly lower than the day before. Vegetables from Southern points and hothouses are in good supply, but not particularly active.

Quotations for round lots of produce were as follows:

DAIRY PRODUCTS.			
Eggs, at mark, new cases included, fresh gathered ex's	25½@26c	....	11½@12c
Do good second, cases included	25@25½c	Butter, creamery, extra	26@26½c
City recandled	26c	Firsts	24@25c
Cheese, Y. A.	11⅜@12¼c	Seconds	18½@20c
Cheese, twins	10⅛@10⅝c	Dairies, Cooley's	24c
Cheese, fancy brick		Do firsts	20@21c
		Ladles	18½@19c
POULTRY.			
Live turkeys....	8@10½c	Do chickens....	10@10½c
Do chickens	8@10c	Capons	14@15c
Do geese, doz.	$5.00@10.00	Do ducks	11@13c
Dressed turkeys, choice	14½c	Do geese	8@10c
FISH.			
Black bass, lb...	12@13c	Pickerel	4@5c
Carp	1½@2c	Eels	6@8c
Pike	5@6c	Perch	8@9c
GAME.			
Ducks, Mallard, doz	$3.00@5.00	Rabbits, doz..	90c@$1.00
Do bluewing	$3.00	Do jack, doz..	$1.25@1.50
Do canvasbacks	$6.00@10.00	Do white	$2.75@3.00
Jacksnipe, doz	$2.00	Sandsnipe, doz...	25@30c
		Plover, golden, doz.	$2.00
		Do grass	$1.75@2.00
FRUITS.			
Apples, good to choice	$3.00@5.00	Oranges, Cal., navels, boxes	$2.75@3.50
Do fancy	$5.00@6.50	Do seedlings..	$1.50@2.25
Cranberries, Cape Cod, brls...	$7.00@7.50	Bananas, bch.	$1.00@1.50
Do Jerseys...	$5.50@6.50	Grapes, Malaga, kegs	$4.50@5.50
Lemons, Cal..	$2.50@3.00	Strawberries, Fla., qt	40@50c
Pineapples, crate, ...	$4.00@4.50		
VEGETABLES.			
Asparagus, Ill., doz, small	$2.00	Onions, bu, white..	$1.50
Do heavy	$4.50@5.00	Do Spanish, bu box	$1.65@1.75
Beets, La., brl.	$5.00@6.50	Do Havana, bu box.	$2.50
Beans, navy, hand-picked	$1.62@1.65	Tomatoes, Fla., 6-bskt cases..	$2.50@3.25
Medium	$1.60@1.62	Lettuce, head, Fla., hamper	$1.50
Brussels sprouts, qt..	20c	Do leaf, hothouse, in cases	15@25c
Celery, Mich., 5-6 doz bchs....	$1.50@1.75	Radishes, doz....	40@50c
Cabbage, N. Y., brls	$1.40@1.50	Potatoes, rurals, good to choice	75@77c
Do tons....	$19.00@22.00	Do red stock....	67@68c
Do La., new, crates.	$2.75	New potatoes, Bermudas, brls.	$4.50@6.50
Do Cal., ½ crates	$1.75	Sweet potatoes, Ill., brls	$2.50@4.50
Cauliflower, Cal., case	$1.50@1.60		

The following table shows the receipts and shipments of country produce for the last twenty-four hours, as compared with the same time last year:

	Receipts 1902.	Receipts 1901.	Shipments 1902.	Shipments 1901.
Apples, brls..	......	783	670	627
Beans, bu	2,531	2,313	900	1,210
B. corn, lbs	46,000	137,200	60,800	27,974
Butter, lbs	493,856	650,961	444,030	760,306
Cheese, lbs	207,170	348,611	147,030	163,743
D. fruits, lbs....	250,400	106,761	41,470	18,854
Eggs, pkgs	2,751	4,725	1,089	1,402
Game, pkgs	117	76	......	......
Hay, tons	1,278	386	140	10
Hides, lbs	518,725	523,690	528,800	850,040
Hops, lbs	84,845	13,921	13,879	46,939
Potatoes, bu	27,469	19,993	12,181	3,216
Poultry, lbs	118,115	141,161	91,742	184,032
Poultry, coops ...	218	117	......	......
Wool, lbs	416,200	44,400	430,800	66,120

DAY IN THE CUSTOM-HOUSE.

Duties Amounting to Over $27,000 Collected, $15,000 Being Paid on Imposts.

Duties amounting to $27,111.50 were collected at the custom-house yesterday, $15,150.73 being paid on imposts and $11,960.77 on warehouse withdrawals.

Merchandise in bond arrived in Chicago as follows: One case curios, 139 cases earthenware, 1 bale matting, 4 cases harmonicas, 40 cases crockery, 2 cases woodenware, 154 bales tobacco, 3 cases silks, 1 case optical goods, 4 cases prints, 5 cases music ware, 899 cases tea, 200 bags salt, 2 cases paper, 18 cases millinery, 10 cases olive oil, 6 cases cottons, 1 case photos, 1 case corsets, 70 casks olives, 1 case biscuits, 1 case gloves, 4 casks wine, 1 case sardines, 5 cases hosiery, 1 case perfumery.

The following goods were entered for immediate consumption on arrival: Two cases glassware, 1 case medicine, 1 case wine, 1 case personal effects, 1 case porcelain, 1 case silks, 4 cases braids, 1 case sardines, 1 case toilet preparations, 1 case biscuits, 1 case toys, 86 bales matting, 5 cases musical instruments, 11 cases plate glass, 9 cases hosiery, 2 cases cottons, 7 cases woolens, 1 case gloves, 1 case books, 21 cases millinery, 41 cases earthenware, 3 cases prepared meats, 1 case laces, 1 case lithographs, 5 cases tracing cloth, 200 brls sesame oil, 1 case plaster of paris, 1 pyrometer, 1 case metalware, 42 cases olives, 10 brls olive oil, 4 cases dried fish, 10 cases olive oil, 4 cases still wine.

Colorado Mining Stocks.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Feb. 26.—Closing quotations:

Acacia	10	Isabella	22¾
Argentum, J.	4	Jack Pot	31
Alamo	3⅝	Lexington	5¼
Anaconda	22	Little Bessie	3⅝
Battle Mountain ...	12½	Little Puck	5
B. H. Ajax	3	Mary Cashen	3
Ben Hur	1½	Missouri	2
Butterfly	14	Molly Dwyer	1¾
Calera	22	Mollie Gibson	13½
Central	6	Morning Star	3
C. C. & M.	2½	Pharmacist	3¼
C. C. Cons	7½	Pinnacle	6
Dante	5⅝	Pointer	3
Doctor J. P.	48	Portland	245
Elkton	127¼	Prince Albert	2¾
El Paso	56	Republic	1⅜
Findley	9⅝	Rose Maud	3
Gold Dollar	16	Rose Nicol	3½
Golden Cycle	68¼	Sedan	1½
Gold Knob	2¼	Sunset-Eclipse	73½
Gould	9⅝	Work	6⅝

Oil and Oil Certificates.

OIL CITY, Pa., Feb. 26.—Credit balances, $1.15; certificates, no bid. Shipments, 74,937 brls; average, 74,502 brls. Runs, 83,513 brls; average, 67,442 brls.

KEITH DENIES BANK DEAL

NO TRUTH IN REPORTED COMBINATION OF METROPOLITAN.

Rumor That It Would Be Consolidated with Continental Is Declared False in Every Particular—National Carbon Company Earns One Per Cent on Common Stock in Last Fiscal Year—Other Financial Topics—Railroad Earnings.

President E. G. Keith of the Metropolitan National Bank made a formal denial yesterday of the report that the institution would be consolidated with the Continental National. Officers of the latter bank also said that there is no truth in the rumor.

For some time La Salle street has been filled with reports of bank consolidations. The absorption of the Merchants' National by the Corn Exchange, announced last week, led to a multiplication of the rumors. Nearly every bank in Chicago has been mentioned in these combination plans in one way or another, but officials have steadily denied that any more transactions are under way.

Yesterday it even was stated that the interests representing the Continental National Bank had made a proposition to the controlling stockholders of the Metropolitan National to buy its stock at $350 a share. This is a good advance over the market price, a sale having been reported yesterday at 305.

President Keith denied that any basis exists for the report affecting the Metropolitan National. He issued the following formal statement:

"I desire to emphatically deny the report published this afternoon of a contemplated consolidation of the Metropolitan National Bank with the Continental or any other bank in this city. No proposition of this kind has been made or considered by me, and the statement has no foundation in fact."

The following letter was sent to the bank's customers:

"An evening paper having published a report of a contemplated consolidation of this bank, it seems proper for us to state that the statement is false in every particular."

Some months ago directors of the Metropolitan National refused an offer made by President James H. Eckels of the Commercial National.

New York's Large Interest Here.

The growing large interest of New York financiers of prominence in Chicago banks has attracted much comment. It is generally known that they have shown great eagerness to acquire an interest in different Chicago institutions of good standing. It is understood that some of the banks have received offers to add $1,000,000 to their capital and let the New York capitalists subscribe for it at a round price over the market value of the shares. The large investments of J. Pierpont Morgan and other eminent New York financiers are evidence that they believe in the financial future of Chicago and its banks.

National Carbon Report.

The full report of the National Carbon company for the fiscal year ended on Jan. 31, 1902, shows earnings of $54,067, or substantially 1 per cent applicable to the common stock after the payment of preferred dividends and charging $214,461 for depreciation. Net earnings amounted to $586,812, a gain of $78,703 over the previous year. Nearly all of this increase was charged off. As compared with the preceding year depreciation charges were $64,461 greater. The statement with a comparison follows:

	Jan. 31, 1902.	Jan. 31, 1901.
Net earnings of the company for the fiscal year ending Jan. 31, 1902 were	$586,812	$508,739
Which were disposed of in the following manner:		
Dividends on preferred capital stock, 7 per cent	315,000	315,000
Charges on depreciation account	214,461	150,000
Doubtful accounts charged off...	3,282	1,456
Balance to profit and loss	54,067	42,283
Totals	$586,812	$508,739

The balance sheet as of Feb. 1, 1902, follows:

ASSETS.	
Real estate, plants, machinery, etc	$9,200,000
Merchandise, manufactured and unmanufactured	418,540
Cash	235,473
Cash reserved for fourth dividend on pref. capital stock	78,750
Cash reserved for betterments and additions and repairs to factory buildings, under contracts	65,266
Bills and accts. receivable..	354,841
Total	$10,352,870
LIABILITIES.	
Preferred capital stock	$4,500,000
Common capital stock	5,500,000
Fourth dividend on preferred capital stock, payable Feb. 15, 1902	78,750
Accounts payable	141,485
Profit and loss acct. to bal..	132,635
Total	$10,352,870

The directors were reëlected without any change.

Financial Topics.

An official of the Pullman company is quoted as saying:

"We have sold practically our entire production in cars for 1902. Our working force, numbering 6,000 men, is at its highest point. Except in a few instances there have been no marked advances in the prices of raw materials that we use. The full capacity of the plant at Pullman is being utilized. Our output is equal to 1,000 freight cars and 100 passengers and sleeping cars per month."

Call money closed in New York at 2¼@2½ per cent, with the last loan at 2½ per cent.

Knight, Donnelley & Co., speaking of Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic preferred, say:

"This road runs from Duluth to Sault Ste. Marie. The preferred stock is 6 per cent and is selling at 25¾. The Canadian Pacific owns a majority of both the preferred and common. At the moment it is not earning heavily, but we remind our friends of what we said about Soo when it was selling at prices almost as low as this Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic. Soo is exactly analogous to the Duluth road. Its preferred stock is 7 per cent instead of 6. It runs from St. Paul to the Soo, and like the other road is owned, a majority of both the preferred and common, by the Canadian Pacific. That road threw business to the Soo that brought its shares up so that the preferred is selling at 110 and the common at 50. It is not without reason to believe that the Canadian Pacific can do for one pretty nearly what it did for the other, and on account of its analogous situation if for no other reason we advise the purchase of Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic preferred."

Yerkes and Chicago.

In a communication to London traction authorities C. T. Yerkes says:

"I have pleasure in giving you some facts in relation to my connection with intramural transportation. I may say that at the time of my earlier visits to London I was particularly impressed with the poor facilities you had for moving the people and the tendency which your system (if system it can be called) had to keep the poorer classes huddled up in the neighborhoods wherein business was particularly active.

"It seems to me that if railroads were run out to the green fields, and that if they carried people for a cheap fare, this question would be solved. I had tried it in America and found it a great success, and could see no reason why it should not answer equally well in London. I had built and operated between 500 and 600 miles of street railroads in the City of Chicago, all of which had done well and had produced the effect which I have heretofore mentioned. The tenement house is now almost unknown in Chicago."

The London Statist says:

"Although the failure of the corn crop was expected to have some adverse effect upon the earnings of the Illinois Central railroad, which carries a large amount of maize southward to New Orleans for export, the earnings of the company continue to show expansion, and its profits for the year to June 30 next are likely to appreciably exceed the excellent results secured for the year to June 30 last, when its profits were equal to a dividend of 13¼ per cent on its then share capital of $66,000,000."

It is reported that the National Biscuit company will equip and operate a mill for the manufacture of boxboard, from which its packages are made.

Railroad Earnings.

Railroad earnings are reported as follows:

	1901.	1900.	Increase.
LAKE SHORE AND MICHIGAN SOUTHERN.			
Gross	$ 7,787,438	$ 7,105,144	$ 682,291
Expenses	6,097,602	5,240,201	857,401
Net	1,689,833	1,864,943	*175,110
Other income....	506,408	338,264	166,139
Total income.....	2,196,236	2,203,207	*6,971
Charges	1,096,732	1,057,687	39,045
Surplus	1,099,504	1,145,520	*46,016
WHEELING AND LAKE ERIE.			
Gross, January...	267,283	235,021	32,262
Expenses	208,225	169,829	38,396
Net, January.....	59,608	65,192	*6,134
Gross, 7 months..	2,055,885	1,782,276	273,609
Expenses	1,470,942	1,201,187	269,755
Net, 7 months....	584,943	581,089	3,854
PITTSBURG AND WESTERN.			
Gross, December.	305,784	311,499	*5,715
Expenses	241,087	207,104	33,983
Net, December ..	64,697	104,395	*39,698
Gross, 6 months..	2,317,586	2,004,637	312,949
Expenses	1,468,431	1,314,254	154,177
Net, 6 months....	849,155	690,383	158,772
CANADIAN PACIFIC.			
Third week, Feb..	592,000	499,000	93,000
July 1 to Feb. 21.	24,186,551	19,759,043	4,427,508
DULUTH, SOUTH SHORE AND ATLANTIC.			
Second week, Feb.	42,776	38,990	3,786
July 1 to Feb. 14.	1,659,946	1,545,376	114,570
EVANSVILLE AND TERRE HAUTE.			
Second week Feb.	23,619	27,684	*4,065
July 1 to Feb. 14.	923,852	910,758	13,094
MEXICAN RAILWAY.			
First week Feb...	97,100	81,800	15,300
Jan. 1 to Feb. 8..	545,000	488,000	57,000
SEABOARD AIR LINE SYSTEM.			
Second week Feb.	227,689	231,443	*3,754
July 1 to Feb. 14.	7,032,738	6,667,123	365,615
TEXAS CENTRAL.			
First week Feb...	9,849	16,121	*6,272
July 1 to Feb. 7..	412,683	457,412	*44,729
WISCONSIN CENTRAL.			
Third week Feb..	101,000	91,073	9,927
July 1 to Feb. 21.	3,759,748	3,409,658	350,090
WABASH.			
Third week Feb..	359,323	326,304	33,019
July 1 to Feb. 21.	12,613,596	11,570,353	1,043,243
PEORIA AND EASTERN.			
Third week Feb...	41,673	52,573	*10,899
Three weeks Feb.	121,483	157,720	*36,236

*Decrease.

Foreign Exchange.

Engagements of $1,450,000 gold for shipment to Europe today were announced yesterday. Foreign exchange closed firm at the following rates in Chicago:

SELLING RATES.	
Checks, Paris	515⅝
Cable transfers, London	488¼
Checks, London	487⅞
Checks, Berlin	95¼+1-32
Checks, Holland	40 3-16
BUYING RATES.	
60 days, London, banks	485
60 days, London, documentary	485¼
3 days, Paris	516¼—1-16
60 days, documentary	518⅜
3 days, Antwerp	517¼—1-16
60 days, Antwerp	520
3 days, Hamburg	95¼
60 days, German, documentary	94⅝
60 days, German, bankers'	94⅞
60 days, Holland	39⅞
3 days, Holland	40⅛

Closing prices on curb stocks in New York were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
American Can	15	15¼
Do pfd	59	59½
American Hide & Leather	5¾	6½
Do pfd	38	39
Bay State Gas	¾	⅞
British Columbia Copper	8	8¼
Compressed Air	8	10
Electric Boat	28	30
Do pfd	45	50
Electro Pneumatic	1	1¼
Electric Vehicle	1⅞	2¼
Do pfd	4	5
General Carriage	¾	1
Havana Commercial Co	11	13
Do pfd	49	54
Illinois Vehicle	½	1
National City Bank	580	595
Nat. Enameling & Stamp. Co	31¼	32¼
Do pfd	85	88
N. Y. Elec. Vehicle Trans	13½	13⅝
Northern Securities Co	102½	103
Otis Elevator	30½	33
Do pfd	97½	99
Pitts. Bessemer & L. E	36	37
Royal Baking Powder pfd	106	108
Seaboard Air Line	24½	25¼
Do pfd	46¾	47¼
Do 4s	84⅜	85¼
Standard Oil	635	640
St. Louis Transit	31¼	31⅞
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe	5¼	6¼
Do pfd	36	38
United Rys. of St. Louis pfd	84¼	84⅞
Do 4s	89	89¼
N. & W. Pocahontas new 4s	93⅝	94
Corn Products Co	35⅜	35⅝
Do pfd	84	85

Chicago Stock Market.

American Can common was easy and lost ½. It is said that the large order which the can company received recently was from a Pittsburg firm, which contracted for 1,000,000 cans a month at a total cost of nearly $250,000.

Calumet Canal and Dock was firmer and sold up to 73 on the purchase of 100 shares. City Railway was lower at 216, a net loss of 3. Small lots of Northwestern Elevated common sold at 37½ for the common and 87 for the preferred. West Chicago was quoted at 96, a gain of 1.

Sales on the Chicago Stock Exchange yesterday were as follows:

	Shares.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can	1,185	15⅝	15¼	15¼
Do pfd	565	59	58⅝	59
American Strawboard	10	24	24	24
Canal and Dock	100	73	72½	73
Chicago City Railway	100	216	216	216
Chicago Edison	70	165	165	165
Chicago Title and Trust ..	40	114⅝	114⅝	114⅝
Diamond Match	10	137	137	137
Metropolitan Elevated	450	39⅝	38½	39⅝
Do pfd	200	90	89⅞	90
National Biscuit	642	47⅞	47½	47⅞
Do pfd	102	108	107⅞	107⅞
National Carbon	100	20	20	20
Northwestern Elevated	11	37½	37½	37½
Do pfd	11	87	87	87
Street's Stable Car	150	25¼	25¼	25¼
Do pfd	25	73	73	73
West Chicago	50	96	96	96

BONDS.

$25000 No West El 4s	98¾	$16000 No West El 4s	98⅝
2000 do	98⅝		

Clearings at the larger cities yesterday and a week ago were:

	Feb. 26.	Feb. 19.
New York	$215,032,812	$232,103,087
Chicago	29,614,937	27,668,316
Boston	24,666,189	22,215,245
Philadelphia	18,470,002	26,279,047
St. Louis	8,258,330	9,533,820
Baltimore	3,314,170	3,908,479

New York exchange sold yesterday as follows: Chicago, 30c discount before clearings, 40c discount after; St. Louis, par.

IN THE BOSTON MONEY MARKET.

General Tendency of Cash, Bonds, Copper Stocks, and Other Securities at the Hub.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—Manipulation in Trimountain was the feature of the Stock Exchange today. The stock, which closed at 108 on Tuesday, was run up to 125 and then was allowed to drop back to 105.

Call loans, 3@3½ per cent. Time loans, collateral, 3⅞@4 per cent. Time loans, mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Clearing-house loans, 2½ per cent.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amal. Copper	4,700	71⅞	72	71¼	71¼
Adventure	1,000	22½	23	22½	22¾
Am. Tel	530	157	157	156	156⅞
Am. Sugar	500	127⅞	128⅜	127⅞	128¼
Do pfd	36	119	119	119	119
Atlantic	50	30	30	30	30
Am. Woolen	150	15	15⅜	15	15⅜
Do pfd	200	77½	77⅝	77½	77⅝
Baltic	1,125	48	49⅝	47⅝	48⅞
Bingham	225	23	23½	23	23
Chi. Junct	34	154	154	153½	153½
Copper Range	559	71½	73⅞	71⅝	71⅞
Do. Consolidated ..	9,600	47⅝	49⅝	47⅝	48⅞
Calumet	2	610	610	610	610
Cons. Mercur	300	2	2	2	2
Centennial	4,740	18⅜	18⅞	18⅜	18
Cont. Zinc	570	2½	2½	2½	2½
Cochiti	250	50	50	50	50
Dom. Steel	6,350	35½	36⅞	34⅞	34⅞
Dom. Coal	2,575	85	85½	83⅞	85¼
Doly West	315	22	22	22	22
Edison Elec	1	255	255	255	255
Franklin	100	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼
Elva River	150	2⅝	2⅝	2½	2⅝
Guanajuato	335	4¾	4½	4½	4½
K. C., Ft. S. & M. pr	100	84	84	84	84
Mass. Mining	185	18	18⅞	18	18
Mohawk	1,438	35¼	37	35¼	36⅞
Michigan	335	11⅝	11⅞	11½	11⅞
Montreal & B.	1,200	3⅝	3⅝	3½	3½
Mass. Elec	250	36⅞	36⅞	36⅞	36⅞
Do pfd	310	96	96	96	96
Mex. Cent	35	25	25⅞	25	25⅞
N. Eng. Tel	26	140	140	140	140
Osceola	170	77	77	77	77
Old Dom	1,150	21½	23	21½	22½
Old Colony	50	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Parrot	100	31⅞	32½	31½	32⅞
Pere Marquette	50	76	76	76	76
Do pfd	1	83	83	83	83
Quicksilver	50	2	2	2	2
Rhode Island	50	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼
Rutland pr	43	115¼	115¼	115¼	115¼
Santa Fe	550	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Swift & Co	3	105	105	105	105
Tri-Mountain	3,460	111	125	105½	105
Trinity	2,700	11⅞	13¼	11⅞	12
Tamarack	52	235	235	235	235
Un. Shoe Machy	364	47	47	46⅞	......
Do pfd	395	29¼	29¼	29	29
Utah	570	24½	25	24½	24
U. S. Mining	1,275	17⅞	18¼	17⅞	17¾
Un. Fruit	25	88⅝	89	88	89
Un. Pac	150	100	100	100	100
Do pfd	50	87¼	87¼	87¼	87¼
Victoria	300	5¼	6	5¼	6
Westinghouse	50	88	88	88	88
Do pfd	53	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
Wolverine	140	51½	52	51½	52
Western Tel	44	27½	28	27	28
Do pfd	125	92	93	92	93

BONDS.

11000 Am Tel 4s..	99½	$ 1000 Mex C 4s...	81¼
7000 CBQ Joint..	95½	70000 NECoke 5s	57@58
5000 CCF(S&M 4s)	126¼	10000 West Tel 5s	105½

New Jersey Passes Mosquito Bill.

New York, Feb. 26.—The New Jersey Assembly, after a long and humorous debate, has passed the mosquito exterminating bill by a vote of 48 to 9. The bill appropriates $10,000 to the State Experiment Station for the purpose of making a scientific investigation of the habits, origin, and breeding places of mosquitoes and their relation to malarial and other diseases.

To Deal in Sugar Futures.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 26.—The New Orleans Sugar Exchange decided today, after an exciting meeting, to establish a futures branch. Members of the exchange have been endeavoring to make this change for several years, believing that it would tend to make New Orleans a more important sugar market.

RANGE OF PRODUCE PRICES

QUOTATIONS ON GRAIN AND STAPLES AT LEADING EXCHANGES.

Record of the Day's Trading in Principal Commodities from the Eastern Seaboard to the Western Markets—Tendency of Cotton in the East and South — Receipts and Shipments of Wheat, Corn, and Oats at Milling Points.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Flour—Receipts, 14,266 brls; exports, 2,491 brls; fairly active and steadier.

Wheat—Receipts, 78,850 bu; exports, 208,127 bu; spot firm; No. 2 red, 87c f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 red, 88⅛c elevator; No. 1 Northern, Duluth, 85c f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 88⅛c f. o. b., afloat. Wheat suddenly turned strong after midday. Prices jumped a cent a bu in the last hour, closing ¼@½c net higher. March closed 82⅝c, May 82½c, July 82¼c, September 81⅝c.

Corn—Receipts, 41,000 bu; exports, 30,079 bu; spot firm; No. 2, 68⅜c elevator and 69⅞c f. o. b., afloat; closed strong at ½@⅜c net advance; May, 66¼c; July, 65⅞c; September, 64⅞c.

Oats—Receipts, 25,500 bu; spot firmer; No. 2, 50c; No. 3, 49c; No. 2 white, 51c; No. 3 white, 50½c; track mixed Western, 50@50½c; track white, 50@55½c; options firm.

Cotton-seed oil—Dull and weaker; prime yellow, 41@41½c.

Eggs—Receipts, 4,808 pkgs; firmer; 28½c.

Sugar—Raw steady; refined unsettled; crushed, 5.30c; powdered, 4.90c; granulated, 4.80c.

Coffee—Quiet.

In the Cotton Markets.

Cotton—Futures closed steady; February, 8.61c; March, 8.63c; April, 8.59c; May, 8.49c; June, 8.48c; July, 8.47c; August, 8.31c; September, 8.01c; October, 7.91c. Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 8⅞c; middling gulf, 9c. Sales, 930 bales.

Western Grain Markets.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 26.—Wheat opened weak, but rallied and closed firm, just under the high point of the day; May, 73⅝@73½c; July, 74⅝@74⅞c. Cash No. 1 Northern sold at May price for a good part, and No. 2 sold largely at 1½c under No. 1; No. 3, 69@70⅝c. Flour—First patents, $3.85@3.95; second patents, $3.75@3.85; first clears, $3.75@3.80; second clears, $3.40.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 26.—Close: Wheat higher; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 83⅞c; track, 83¼@84c; May, 82⅜@82⅞c; July, 76c; No. 2 hard, 76@78½c. Corn higher; No. 2, cash, 59½c; track, 58½@59½c; May, 60⅝@60⅝c; July, 61½@61⅝c. Lead firm; $4.05. Spelter strong; $4.12½@4.15. Flour dull; red winter patents, $3.80@4.00; extra fancy and straight, $3.40@3.50; clear, $3.10@3.25. Wool nominally unchanged.

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 26.—Close: Wheat—Cash, No. 1 hard, 76⅝c; No. 1 Northern, 73⅝c; No. 2 Northern, 71⅞c; No. 3 spring, 69⅛c. To arrive: No. 1 hard, 76⅝c; No. 1 Northern, 73⅝c; May, 75⅛c; July, 76⅛c; Manitoba, No. 1 Northern, cash, 71⅝c; May, 73⅝c; No. 2 Northern, 68⅝c. Corn—60c.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 26.—Close: Wheat—May, 73⅛c; July, 73⅝c; cash, No. 2 hard, 73@73¼c; No. 3, 72c; No. 2 red, 80@81c; No. 3, 79@79½c; No. 2 spring, 72c. Corn—May, 60⅝c; September, 59c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 59½c; No. 2 white, 63½c; No. 3, 62@63c. Oats—No. 2 white, 43½c.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 26.—Wheat steadier; close: No. 1 Northern, 75c; No. 2 Northern, 74c; May, 76⅛c; puts, 76⅛c; calls, 76⅞c. Barley dull; No. 2, 61½c; sample, 55@60½c. Corn—May, 60⅝c; puts, 60¼c; calls, 61⅛c.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 26.—Wheat—Active, higher; cash, 85c; May, 84⅝c; July, 79⅝c. Clover-seed—April, $5.55; February and March, $5.60.

IN THE NEW YORK MARKETS.

Current and Closing Quotations on Dry Goods, Coffee, Poultry, Butter, and Metals.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—[Special.]—An average amount of business was transacted today in cotton goods. Prices were firm for all staple lines. Print cloths were firm but quiet. Men's wear woolen fabrics were quiet, but without change in price. Staple dress goods were firm for fall.

Range of Coffee Prices.

Coffee—Total sales, 3,000 bags. The market for spot coffee was dull, but about steady, with prices on the basis of 5 5-9c for invoice lots of No. 7 Rio. The clearances from Santos for the United States were much larger than anticipated, being 65,000 bags. The range of contract prices in the local market today was as follows:

Month.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
February	....	....	....	5.15@5.20	5.20
March	5.20	5.20	5.20	5.15@5.20	5.10
April	....	....	....	5.25@5.30	5.20
May	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.35@5.40	5.30
June	....	....	....	5.45@5.50	5.40
July	5.60	5.60	5.60	5.55@5.60	5.50
August	....	....	....	5.65@5.70	5.60
September	5.80	5.80	5.75	5.75@5.80	5.70
October	....	....	....	5.80@5.85	5.75
November	5.90	5.90	5.90	5.85@5.95	5.80
December	6.00	6.00	5.95	5.95@6.00	5.90
January	6.05	6.05	6.05	6.00@.605	5.95

Coffee cables—Rio, market steady; No. 7 Rio 4, $625; exchange, 11 15-16d; receipts, 14,000 bags; cleared for the United States, 18,000 bags; cleared for Europe, 1,000 bags; stock, 623,000 bags.

Santos—Market steady; good average Santos, 4, $600; receipts, 31,000 bags [three days]; stock, 1,176,000 bags.

Hamburg—Market opened unchanged; at 2:30 p. m. was net unchanged to ¼ pfg. higher; sales, 30,000 bags.

Havre—Market opened steady, ¼f higher; at 12 m. advanced ¼f; at 3 p. m. quiet and unchanged; half holiday. Total sales, 16,000 bags. January, 39.00; February, 36.25; March, 36.25; April, 36.75; May, 37.00; June, 37.50; July, 37.75; August, 38.00; September, 38.25; October, 38.50; November, 38.75.

Poultry, Alive and Dressed.

Poultry—Alive—Chickens, per lb, 11c; fowls, 11c; turkeys, 13c; ducks, Western, per pair, 70@80c; geese, Western, $1.25@1.50. Dressed—Turkeys, hens, average best, 15c; do, Western, hens and toms, average best, 14@14½c; Western young toms, average best, 14c; do, Western mixed, good to prime, 13@13½c; Western, choice to fancy, 12½@13c; chickens and fowls mixed, choice to fancy, 11@11½c; fowls, Western, 11@11½c; fowls and chickens, Western, poor to fair, 8@10½c.

Butter of All Grades.

Butter—Creamery extras, per lb, 28c; do firsts, 26@27c; do seconds, 24@25c; do held, fancy, 24c; do firsts, 22@23c; do seconds, 20½@21½c; State dairy, tubs, fresh, finest, 25@26c; do fall made, best, 22c; do fair to good, 19@21c; Western imitation creamery, fancy, 23c; do firsts, 20@21c; Western factory, fresh, fancy, 20c; do choice, 19@19½c; do fair to good, 17@18c; do held, choice, 18c; renovated butter, fancy, 23c; packing stock, 15@17½c.

In the Metal Markets.

Copper was unchanged, with lake at 12⅝@12⅞c; electrolytic, 12¼@12⅜c; and casting, 12⅛@12⅜c. Tin was ¼c lower, closing with spot at $25.25@25.40. Lead and spelter were firm here and unchanged. Iron was firm.

IN FOREIGN MONEY MARKETS.

General Tendency of Cash, Bonds, and Other Securities at London and Berlin.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: "The stock market gives evidence of returning to its former lethargic condition, although a respectable bull account in south African shares still exists. The market opened firm, but relapsed in the afternoon on military mishaps in south Africa. American stocks were firm, Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, and United States Steel being the favorites. There was a fractional reaction in the street."

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Money was in strong demand today, but its scarcity provoked an indisposition to discount freely.

Closing stocks:

Consols for money..	94⅝	Nor. & Western	58⅝
Do for act	94⅝	Do pfd	92
Anaconda	6⅝	Ont. & Western	34½
Atchison	77½	Pennsylvania	77
Do pfd	99½	Reading	29
Balto. & Ohio	106⅝	Do 1st pfd	42⅝
Can. Pacific	118⅝	Do 2d pfd	35½
Ches. & Ohio	47	Southern Ry	33⅞
Chi. Gt. Western ..	25	Do pfd	93

C., M. & St. P.	167¾	Southern Pac ......
Den. & Rio G.	44⅞	Union Pac ......
Do pfd	94½	Do pfd ......
Erie	36½	U. S. Steel ......
Do 1st pfd	70¼	Do pfd ......
Do 2d pfd	57½	Wabash ......
Illinois Central	143¼	Do pfd ......
Louis. & Nash	106⅞	Spanish 4s ......
M., K. & T.	25⅜	Rand ......
Do pfd	57	De Beers ......
N. Y. Central	167	

Bar silver, 25 5-16d per oz. Money, [illegible] per cent. Rate of discount in the open market for short bills, 2⅝@2¾ per cent; for three months' bills, 2 11-16@2⅞ per cent.

BERLIN, Feb. 26.—Prices opened firm on the boerse today, but later eased somewhat owing to the absence of transactions. The undertone remained good.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The shares of the Mergenthaler - Horton Basket Machine Co., 218 La Salle-st., Chicago; which are now selling at 25c for $1.00 shares, will be advanced on Saturday, March 1, to 40c. Friday, Feb. 28, is the last day for subscribers at 25c. Shares reserved by telegraph will be held long enough for letter containing remittance to arrive.

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45⅝	U. S. Steel 45⅝
97⅞	Do pfd. 97⅞
24¼	Wabash 24¼
44½	Do pfd. 44½
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DULL DAY IN WALL STREET

MINOR STOCKS MANIPULATED BY PROFESSIONAL BROKERS.

Unimportant Issues Rushed Up and Then Permitted to Fall, While Standard Railway Securities Are Neglected—Industrials Do Not Share the Forced Gains and Losses, but Amalgamated and Steel Trust Shares Dealt In and Hold Strong.

[BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—[Special.]—Today's stock market followed the same general lines upon which yesterday's dealings were conducted. A steady tone generally prevailed, but movements in the standard railway issues were extremely limited and, in fact, there were no appearances of animation anywhere aside from the miscellaneous stocks and the so-called railway specialties.

It was necessary to refer occasionally to the quotation company's list of abbreviations to ascertain just what new security it was that was being made active. Advances were common in this class. Such stocks as Detroit Southern, Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic, Des Moines and Fort Dodge, Kansas City Southern, Ann Arbor preferred, Wisconsin Central, and Kingston and Pembroke were bid up several points without encountering any considerable offerings of stock.

Among the higher priced inactive issues Chicago and Eastern Illinois and Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie preferred likewise advanced sharply. Further advances also were scored in the Colorado Southern stocks, Chicago Great Western, and Evansville and Terre Haute.

It was definitely stated that the interests now dominant in Chicago and Eastern Illinois would soon appear in the management of Evansville and Terre Haute.

While the dealings in the quarters noted were being conducted with some show of animation, such stocks as St. Paul, Union Pacific, Missouri Pacific, and that class were almost wholly neglected. Southern Pacific and the Wabash issues received a fair amount of attention, and in the bond market the Wabash debenture Bs advanced further on exceedingly heavy dealings.

Pennsylvania was the only one of the usually active stocks of the higher grade which was at all active, and this stock was strong. Increased dealings also were noted in the Denver and Rio Grande shares. The local traction stocks did not occupy the conspicuous position they did yesterday, and Brooklyn and Rapid Transit was somewhat reactionary on profit realizing sales.

Among the miscellaneous and industrial stocks Amalgamated Copper and the United States Steel shares were the active features. The approach of the dividend period on Amalgamated Copper led to leisurely covering of short contracts, to which the comparative firmness of the stock seemed to be chiefly owing. The United States Steel shares were steady, notably for the preferred stock.

The afternoon movement in prices was exceedingly erratic. Quite heavy and sudden liquidation appeared in some quarters of the railway list, notably in Missouri Pacific, which declined rapidly.

The miscellaneous and industrial stocks were but little affected by the declines in the railway list, and both Sugar Refining and Amalgamated Copper were strong, and a sharp rise took place in the American Bicycle shares.

IN NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

General Tendency of Cash, Bonds, Railroad Stocks, and Other Securities in Wall Street.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—In today's stock market the important railroad and industrial stocks which usually take the lead in market movements were allowed to slumber while various obscure and rarely active stocks were taken up one after another and pushed upward in more or less sensational movements. This order of things was varied in the last hour by a sharp raid on the part of the professional bears after the announcement of engagements of gold for export by tomorrow's steamer to the amount of $2,450,000.

There was large buying of Wabash debenture Bs and the general bond market was firm. Total sales, par value, $4,800,000.

Close: Money on call steady, actual transactions ranging from 2 to 2½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4¼ per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87⅝ for demand and at 4.85⅛@4.85¼ for sixty days; posted rates, 4.86½ and 4.88; commercial bills, 4.84⅝@4.85⅝.

Bar silver, 55c; Mexican dollars, 43½c.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Closing— Feb. 26.	Feb. 25.
Amn. Sugar	10,000	129	127⅞	128⅝	128¼
Do pfd	100	118½	118½	118½	119
Am. Locomotive	2,800	32⅞	31⅞	31⅞	32
Do pfd	400	93	92¾	93	93
Amn. Express	28	230	230	230	....
Amn. Smelting	1,000	47⅛	46⅞	46⅞	47⅞
Do pfd	200	99	98⅞	99	98
Am. Bicycle	6,000	3⅝	2½	3⅝	2⅝
Do pfd	1,700	15½	12	15½	10½
Am. Grass Twine	3,000	46⅞	40¾	46¼	41⅞
Am. Snuff pfd	200	93¾	93¾	93¾	....
Amn. Linseed	1,800	25	23½	24½	24⅛
Do pfd	600	54	53½	54	54
Amn. Malting	500	5⅝	5¼	5⅝	....
Am. Car Fdry	300	29½	29	29	29¼
Do pfd	1,100	88½	88	88⅝	88⅝
Amn. Ice	1,500	27	26⅝	27	26½
Amn. Woolen	200	15¼	15	15¼	15
Atchison	8,400	76⅛	75⅝	75⅝	76
Do pfd	1,100	97⅜	96⅞	96⅞	97¼
Anaconda	600	34⅞	33⅞	33⅞	34⅞
Amal. Copper	49,800	72⅛	70⅞	71⅞	71⅞
Ann Arb. Ry. pfd	900	68	66⅞	67½	66⅞
Asso. Mer. 1st pfd	300	95¼	95	95	95¼
Bkln. Rap. Trans.	12,600	65	64	64¼	64⅞
Brunswick	200	11¼	11¼	11¼	11
Balto. & Ohio	1,000	104⅛	103⅞	103⅞	104
Bkln. Union Gas	100	216⅞	216⅞	216⅞	....
Chi. & Alton	2,300	37⅛	36⅛	36⅛	36⅞
C. M. & St. P.	3,600	164⅛	163⅞	163⅞	163⅞
C. & N. W.	200	217	217	217	218⅜
Canada Southern	400	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛
C. R. I. & P.	1,900	161½	160⅞	160⅞	160⅞
Chi. Terminal	500	18	17½	17⅝	17
Do pfd	700	33	32⅞	33	32⅞
Ches. & Ohio	500	46	45½	45½	45⅝
Canadian Pacific	3,600	116	115⅛	115⅛	115⅛
C. C. C. & St. L.	200	102	102	102	102
Con Gas [N. Y.]	1,100	221	219	219	220½
Colo. & Southern	15,400	23⅛	20⅞	22¼	20¼
Do 1st pfd	1,100	70⅛	69	69	69⅛
Do 2d pfd	3,300	38⅛	36⅞	36⅞	36⅞
C. I. & L.	2,500	64⅛	63⅞	64⅛	64⅞
Do pfd	200	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛	80
Colo. Fuel & Iron	500	87	86	86	86⅞
Chi. Gt. Western	18,200	25⅛	24⅛	24⅛	24⅞
Do pfd A	800	89	87	89	86
Do pfd B	300	47	47	47	46⅜
C. & E. I.	1,900	148	143	147	142½
Det. So.	2,500	16	14½	15⅝	1[illegible]
Do pfd	1,500	38⅛	35⅞	37	3[illegible]
*Del. & Hudson	1,200	173	172	172	174½
Den. & Rio G.	4,100	45¼	43⅞	44½	....
Do pfd	2,000	93⅞	92⅞	93⅞	92
D. M. & Ft. D.	6,500	42	40½	41	40⅞
Dis. of America	500	8¼	8¼	8¼	....
D. S. S. & A.	8,400	14⅞	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞
Do pfd	9,000	27⅞	25⅞	26⅞	25⅞
Erie	14,200	39	38⅞	38⅞	38⅞
Do 1st pfd	1,100	68⅞	68⅞	68⅞	68⅞
Do 2d pfd	600	57	56⅞	56⅞	56
E. & T. H.	7,800	68⅞	65⅞	67⅞	65
Do pfd	2,100	100⅞	97⅞	100⅞	....
Ft. W. & D. C.	1,000	42⅞	41	42⅞	40½
Gen. Electric	100	293⅞	293⅞	293⅞	293⅞
Glucose	30	44⅞	44⅞	44⅞	45
Do ctfs	200	45	45	45	....
Gt. North. pfd	100	185	185	185	186
Hock. Valley pfd	200	84⅞	84⅞	84⅞	84½
Internat. Pump	100	53	53	53	....
Ill. Central	2,800	140⅞	139⅞	139⅞	139¼
Iowa Central	500	48⅛	48	48	48
Do pfd	200	79½	79	79	79½
Internat. Paper	400	20⅞	20¼	20⅞	20
Internat. Silver	100	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	....
Kan. City & So.	3,600	23⅞	22⅞	22⅞	22½
Do pfd	5,300	51⅞	51	51⅞	50⅞
K. & Penn.	1,300	14	10	11½	....
K. & D. M.	100	13⅞	....	....	....
K.C.Ft.S. & M. pf	800	84⅞	84¼	84⅞	84⅞
Louis. & Nash.	1,100	104⅞	104⅞	104⅞	104⅞
L. E. & W.	100	67⅞	67⅞	67⅞	....
Met. W. S. Chi.	100	39⅞	39⅞	39⅞	38⅞
M.St.P. & S. S. M.	5,700	50⅞	49	49⅞	48⅞
Do pfd	2,500	115⅞	111⅞	113⅞	110
Manhattan	9,800	134⅞	133	133	133⅞
M. K. & T.	900	25⅞	24⅞	24⅞	25
Do pfd	1,200	56⅞	55⅞	55⅞	55⅞
Met. St. Ry.	5,400	169⅞	168⅞	168⅞	168⅞
Mex. Cent. [Ltd.]	2,700	29⅞	28⅞	28⅞	28⅞
Missouri Pac.	49,900	102⅞	99⅞	100⅞	102⅞
Mex. Nat. ctfs.	12,500	17⅞	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
Do pfd	1,500	41⅞	40⅞	40⅞	....
Man. Beach	200	13	13	13	....
Nat. Biscuit	300	47⅞	47⅞	47⅞	47½
Do pfd	100	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞	....
National Lead	100	18	18	18	17¾
N. Y. Central	1,400	163⅞	162½	162½	163¼
Norfolk & W.	800	56⅞	56⅞	56⅞	56⅞
North Amn. Co.	800	95	93⅞	94⅞	....
N. Y. Ont. & W.	1,300	34	33⅞	33⅞	33⅞
N. Y. Chi. & St. L.	800	50	49⅞	50	49⅞
N. & Eastern	100	41	41	41	....
People's Gas	2,600	101	99⅞	100	100⅞
Penn. R. R.	28,100	151⅞	150⅞	150⅞	150⅞
Pacific Mail	100	46⅞	46⅞	46⅞	47
P. Steel Car pfd	300	83	83	83	83
P. C. C. & St. L.	100	86⅞	85⅞	85⅞	....
Reading	4,700	56⅞	56⅞	56⅞	56⅞
Do 1st pfd	2,100	81⅞	81	81	81⅞
Do 2d pfd	11,100	69⅞	68⅞	68⅞	68⅞
Rubber Goods	900	18⅞	18	18	18⅞
Do pfd	200	70	69⅞	70	70⅞
Rep. I. & Steel	800	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
Do pfd	700	70⅞	70	70	70
[illegible] pfd	100	115⅞	115⅞	115⅞	116
Southern Ry.	1,000	33⅞	32⅞	32⅞	33⅞
Do pfd	1,200	96⅞	95⅞	95⅞	96
[illegible]	1,900	20	19⅞	19⅞	20
Do 1st pfd	400	72⅞	72	72	71
Do 2d pfd	1,300	34⅞	32⅞	32⅞	34⅞
Southern Pacific	26,800	65⅞	64⅞	64⅞	64⅞

St. L. & S. W. pfd.	200	59¼	59	59	59
St. L. & San F.	700	60⅞	60½	60⅝	60¼
Do 2d pfd.	1,500	73½	72½	72⅝	73
S. R. & T.	100	5½	5½	5½	5½
St. Law. & Adair	1,100	140	139½	140	139¾
Sloss S. S. & I. pfd	200	82⅞	82⅞	82⅞	....
Texas Pacific	1,100	41⅜	40⅝	40⅝	41¼
Texas Land	500	43⅞	43	43⅞	43⅞
Twin City	600	113¾	113⅜	113¾	113⅞
T. St. L. & W.	3,800	22⅜	21½	22	21½
Do pfd	6,300	41⅞	41	41½	41
Tenn. Coal & I.	12,400	70⅞	67	68⅞	69⅜
U. S. Reduction	1,000	42	41	41⅞	41
Do pfd	800	65	64	65	64
Union Pacific	10,900	100⅝	99¼	99¼	100
Do pfd	800	87⅞	87⅜	87⅞	87¼
Un. Bag & P. pfd	100	80	80	80	80
U. S. Rubber	100	16¼	16¼	16¼	16⅜
Do pfd	1,600	59⅞	59	59⅞	59
U. S. Leather	1,200	11⅞	11⅜	11⅞	11¾
Do pfd	700	81⅞	81⅜	81⅞	81⅝
U. S. Steel	15,200	44⅞	44¼	44⅝	44⅞
Do pfd	32,800	95⅛	94⅝	94⅞	94⅝
U. S. Express	13	115	115	115	....
Va Caro Chem	200	62⅞	62⅞	62⅞	....
Wheeling & L. E.	600	20½	19⅞	20⅝	20
Do 1st pfd	500	58½	57	57	58⅝
Do 2d pfd	500	33½	32½	32½	33
Wabash	2,800	24½	23⅞	24	24¼
Do pfd	7,400	44	43½	43⅝	43
Wis. Cent	3,900	21⅞	20⅝	20⅝	20⅞
Do pfd	3,900	43½	41⅞	42⅝	41⅝
Western Union	200	91	90⅞	91	90⅞
Westinghouse	200	176½	176	176	177⅜

*Ex-div., 1¾ per cent.
Total sales, 618,000 shares.

EXPRESS STOCKS.

Adams	195	United States	116
American	230	Fargo	190

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

U. S. ref 2s, reg.	100	U. S. new 4s, coup.	139¼
Do coup.	109	U. S. old 4s, reg.	112½
U. S. 3s, reg.	108¾	Do coup.	112½
Do coup.	108¾	U. S. 5s, reg.	106½
U. S. new 4s, reg.	139¼	Do 5s, coup.	106½

NEW YORK BOND SALES AND QUOTATIONS—10 A. M. TO 3 P. M.

3000	Atch gen 4s..104¼	6000	Met St Ry 5s.121
30000	do adj........ 93⅞	5000	Mex Cent 4s.. 82¼
33000	do stamped... 93⅞	61000	do 1st inc.31@31⅞
5000	Adams Ex 4s.107	11000	M K & T 1st 4s ......99¼@99⅞
10000	Am Bicycle 5s 58¼	20000	do 2d........83@83⅞
4000	A C O 4½s... 90⅞	10000	M & E 1st.... 136⅞
42000	B & O 4s.103⅞@104	1000	M C con 7s...102½
135000	do con..107@107⅞	14000	Mo P 5s 1917.109
8000	do S W 3½s.90½@⅞	2000	N Y Dock 4s. 92
3000	do P & L E W V .....100⅞@100⅞	5000	N Y G & E 4s 97
10000	Bkln Ferry 5s 80	1000	N Y & Nor 1st.121¼
6000	Bkln El 4s.100½@⅞	25000	N & W 4s.....103⅞
27000	C Ga con5s110½@⅞	13000	N P 3s.. 74⅞@74⅞
2000	do 1st inc.... 79¼	6000	do 4s ..105¼@105½
10000	do 2d inc...... 35	12000	NatStarch deb 93
8000	Can So 2d.110½@⅞	10000	NY C L S 3½s.108⅞
32000	Cent Ga gm 5s ....136⅞@137¼	2000	NY O & W 4s.105
21000	do reg.136⅞@137	8000	O R & N con 4s ..... 103½@104
17000	C Pac 3½s.88⅞@89	24000	P & E 1st...101@⅛
27000	do 4s.........101½	1000	do inc....... 82
40000	C B & Q joint ....95⅞@95¼	22000	Rdg gen 4s... 99¼
10000	do Ill div 3½s.102¼	3000	R G W 1st...101½
14000	C&N W con 7s139⅞	5000	St L & I M 5s.116
16000	do sf 6s......117	6000	do 4s......94@94¼
10000	Chi Term 4s.. 87⅞	2000	St L S W 1st. 98¼
73000	CRI&P 4s.118⅛@¼	11000	do 2d .....79@79⅞
55000	Col Mid 3-4s ....85⅞@86¼	20000	St L S F 4s.97⅞@⅞
3000	C O & G 5s...110¼	12000	So Ry 5s.....120
34000	Colo So 4s.94⅛@¼	5000	So P 4s....... 94⅞
14000	ConsTob 4s.65½@⅞	28000	do 4½s..101@101⅛
62000	D M&M L G.52@53	2000	St L & K C St Char Brid 1st.111½
6000	D & R G con 4s .....102½@102⅞	5000	S V & N E 4s ....102¼@102⅞
2000	Det So O So 4s 94	15000	S R T 6s.63¼@65
2000	E J & E 5s...115	23000	do inc.......9⅞@9⅞
7000	Erie con 4s.90@90¼	27000	Third Ave 4s ......101¼@101⅞
1000	FAC&P con 5s106½	1000	T&O C gm 5s.107
45000	Ft W & D C 1st .....112⅞@113	19000	T P & W 4s.. 92
4000	FtW&RG 3-4s 89	77000	T StL&W 4s.85@¼
1000	G B & W A... 78	5000	U S Reduc 6s. 87
20000	do B......15@15¼	7000	U P 4s..106@106⅞
3000	H&StJo con 6s121¼	226000	do conv 4s ....106¼@106⅞
5000	I & Gt N 3d... 78½	20000	Wab 1st 5s...119
16000	K C Ft S & M 4s ....92¼@92⅞	2315000	do deb B.73@75
29000	K C So 3s..73¼@⅞	2000	W U ref 4½s..109
2000	Ky Cent 4s...100⅞	7000	W L E con 4s ....93⅞@93⅞
16000	L & N gm 6s ....119¼@120	37000	Wis C 4s.89⅞@90
14000	do unfd 4s.101⅞@⅞	6000	W N Y & P gm .....99⅞@100
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IN LOCAL LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Receipts and Shipments of Cattle, Hogs, and Sheep—Figures for the Week.

There was an advance of 10@30c in cattle prices, with the bulk of sales at the high point of the year. Hogs declined 5@10c, and sheep and lambs sold 10@20c lower than on Tuesday. Top cattle, $7.35; best hogs, $6.35; and top lambs, $6.60. Cattle receipts thus far this week increased 1,600 compared with a week ago and 9,200 compared with a year ago. Hogs decreased 1,800 compared with a week ago, and 21,300 compared with a year ago. Sheep decreased 14,800 compared with a week ago and 1,700 compared with a year ago.

Stock-Yards receipts and shipments follow:

Receipts—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Monday, Feb. 24	24,091	404	46,991	8,937
Tuesday, Feb. 25	5,699	1,300	31,004	12,357
Wednesday, Feb. 26	15,000	900	45,000	19,000
Totals	44,790	2,704	123,005	40,294
Same time last week	43,198	2,920	124,821	55,077
Cor. time 1901	35,562	1,259	101,134	41,962
Shipments—				
Monday, Feb. 24	4,024	1	11,718	721
Tuesday, Feb. 25	2,347	61	5,073	688
Wednesday, Feb. 26	4,000	40	11,000	1,500
Totals	10,371	102	27,791	2,909
Same time last week	10,940	14	26,611	1,919
Cor. time 1901	8,796	27	26,014	7,397

Receipts for Feb. 27 are estimated at 10,000 cattle, 38,000 hogs, and 11,000 sheep, against 10,375 cattle, 27,056 hogs, and 10,136 sheep on Thursday of last week.

Cattle—Prices for beef cattle ruled 10@30c higher than last Monday on the high point of the month. Receipts were moderate and the demand unusually brisk. Exporters, shippers, and local slaughterers all bought freely, making an early clearance. Two loads of 1,697-lb shorthorns sold at $7.35, the highest of the month. August steers averaging 1,385@1,490 lbs sold at $7.10@7.25, with 1,214-lb yearling steers at $7.00. Most of the 1,100@1,350-lb beef cattle of good quality sold at $5.35@6.40. A load of 1,176-lb steers and heifers sold at $6.60. Few native steers sold below $5.00. Three loads of 1,224-lb Texas steers sold at $5.70, with 823@841 lbs average at $4.75@5.00. Native butcher stock ruled firm and canners weak. Veal calves sold 25@50c lower than a week ago. Stockers and feeders ruled firm.

Hogs—Fifty-two thousand were on sale. The supply was in excess of the demand and 9,000 were left in the pens. Prices declined 5@10c and the market closed weak. Shippers bought freely, while packers acted indifferent all day. A bad break in provisions added weakness to the late hog market. The quality showed some improvement, with offerings largely of 180@230 lb averages. Some 238@290-lb averages sold at $6.35, with few good enough to sell above $6.25. A good many 150@170-lb averages sold at $5.60@5.75. Pigs averaging 90@120 lbs sold principally at $5.00@5.30. Mixed packing, 190@220 lbs, sold largely at $5.90@6.05. Quotations follow:

Bulk of sales	$5.90@6.15
Selected butchers, 220@270 lbs	6.15@6.30
Light bacon, 150@195 lbs	5.60@5.80
Light butchers, 180@195 lbs	5.80@6.05
Mixed grades, 180@240 lbs	5.80@6.05
Heavy shipping, 260@350 lbs	6.20@6.35
Heavy packing, 280@400 lbs	6.05@6.20
Rough to heavy grades	5.90@6.05
Poor to choice pigs	4.75@5.40

Sheep—There was a drop of 10c in sheep and 10@20c drop in the price of lambs. Trade was slow and the feeling weak. Western lambs sold at $4.90@6.60, bulk $6.40@6.60; native lambs, $4.75@6.50, bulk $5.75@6.40; native sheep, $3.50@5.50, bulk $4.25@4.75; Western sheep, $3.75@5.40, bulk $5.00@5.40; Western yearlings, $5.30@6.00. Exporters bought 120-lb yearlings at $5.50, with a lot of 1,257 Western sheep averaging 143 lbs sold to arrive to an exporter at $5.40.

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,500 natives, 1,200 Texans, 200 calves. Market active, 10c higher. Choice export and dressed beef steers, $6.20@6.75; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.00; Western fed steers, $5.00@6.25; Texans and Indian steers, $4.25@5.50; calves, $4.50@6.50. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; market 5@10c lower; top, $6.35; bulk of sales, $5.90@6.30. Sheep—Receipts, 4,700; muttons steady, lambs 10c lower; native lambs, $6.25@6.75; Western lambs, 6.15@6.65; native wethers, $5.25@5.75; Western wethers, $5.20@5.65.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,872. Active and steady. Steers, $4.50@6.40; oxen and stags, $4.20@5.50; bulls, $3.25@4.25; cows, $2.25@4.25. Calves—Receipts, 1,720; 25c lower; common to choice veals, $4.25@8.50; Westerns, $3.37½@4.00. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,144; sheep easy except prime export grades; lambs steady to strong; sheep, $4.00@5.50; lambs, $5.50@6.80. Hogs—Receipts, 5,357; steady.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,200, including 1,500 Texans. Market steady to stronger. Native shipping and export steers, $4.60@6.75; dressed beef and butcher steers, $4.00@6.00; Texas and Indian steers, $3.25@5.50. Hogs—Receipts, 5,400; market 5c lower. Pigs and lights, $5.75@5.95; packers, $5.75@6.05; butchers', $6.10@6.35. Sheep—Receipts, 1,200. Market strong.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; market active, 5@10c higher native steers, $4.00@6.50; Western steers, $3.80@5.25; Texas steers, $3.60@4.60. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market 5@10c lower; bulk of sales, $5.75@5.90. Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; market steady to 5@10c lower; fed muttons, $5.00@5.80; Westerns, $4.50@5.00; lambs, $5.00@6.50.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,100; strong. Hogs—Receipts, 8,200; 5@10c lower; light and light mixed, $5.70@6.05; medium and heavy, $5.80@6.35; pigs, $3.50@5.00. Sheep—Receipts, 1,100; strong; Western lambs, $5.65@6.50; Western sheep, $4.25@6.25.

IN FOREIGN PRODUCE MARKETS.

Current and Closing Quotations on Grain, Provisions, and Cotton at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 26.—Grain—Wheat—Spot: No. 1 Northern, spring, firm, 6s 1¾d; No. 2 red Western, winter, steady, 6s ¾d; No. 1 California, no stock. Futures: Quiet. March, 6s ¼d; May, 6s ¼d. Corn—Spot: Steady. American mixed, new, 5s 1½d; American mixed, old, 5s 2½d. Futures: Easy. February, nominal; March, 5s ⅞d; May, 5s 1⅛d.

Provisions — Cheese — American, finest white, firm, 49s 6d; American, finest colored, firm, 50s. Turpentine spirits—Firm; 31s 6d. Linseed oil—32s 3d.

Cotton—Spot: Moderate business; prices 1-32d higher; American, middling fair, 5 1-16d; good middling, 4 25-32d; middling, 4 21-32d; low middling, 4 9-16d; good ordinary, 4 7-16d; ordinary, 4 3-16d. Sales, 8,000 bales. Receipts, 7,000 bales, including 2,400 bales American. Futures opened and closed steady.

HENRY G. MARQUAND DEAD.

President of Metropolitan Art Museum and Benefactor of Many Institutions Dies in New York.

New York, Feb. 26.—Henry G. Marquand, long President of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and until his retirement head of the banking house of Marquand & Parmly, is dead at his home in this city.

Mr. Marquand was born in New York in 1819. He was one of the purchasers in 1868 of the Iron Mountain and Southern railway, of which he was Vice President until its incorporation with the Missouri Pacific system.

Mr. Marquand made many notable gifts and loans to the Metropolitan Museum of Art. He presented a chapel to Princeton University, and later, with Robert Bonner, built a gymnasium for the same institution. He contributed largely to charitable organizations of all kinds.

NEWS OF THE COURTS.

Superior and Circuit Court Judgments.

Judge Vickers—220676—Victor Dreicke vs. C. U. T. Co.; on ver., $415; satisfied.—220677—John Wyrobek vs. C. C. T. Co.; on ver., $215; satisfied.

Judge Gary—10251—Hewins & Hollis vs. George T. Burrows; mo. pltf. judgt. of Feb. 24, 1902, for $270.85 vacated and by agreement judgt. for $280.85.—209320—James Kubio vs. I. C. R. R. Co.; on findg., $125; satisfied.

Judge Brentano—4505—Joseph Platwszynski vs. George Hinchliff; on findg., $750; satisfied.—7728—Lucy M. Howland vs. Joseph B. Otis; on findg., $525; satisfied.

Judge Stein—1617—Benjamin W. Stratton vs. John Howe and Kittie Howe; mo. n. t. overrld. and judgt., $387.73; appl.

Judge Horton—220609—John S. Owen Lumber Co. vs. Muskoka Lumber Co.; by deflt. $770 in rem. and judgt. $111.13, vs. garn. P. A. Lord Co.; on ans.

Judge Hanecy—201268—People vs. Chicago House Wrecking Co.; on findg., $50; satisfied.

Judge Neely—225606—Agostino Spinola vs. C. & N. W. Ry. Co.; on ver., $350; satisfied.

Decrees.

Judge Chytraus—3139—Schewe vs. Boegl; dec. sale.—1753—Converse vs. A. H. Co.; dec. sale.—218401—Film vs. Troxell; dec. sale.—3105—Koepke vs. Schanzenbach; dec. sale.—3137—Falkenan vs. Hefferman; def. dec.—3137—L. and S. Co. vs. Curran; dec.—2817—Mason vs. Daley; dec.—2857—Botter vs. Botter; dec.

Judge Goodwin—224379—Allen vs. Allen; dec.

Judge Tuley—10635—Clark vs. Clark; dec. div.

Judge Hanecy—9366—Hines vs. Bilger; dec. sale.

Judge Tuthill—10226—Smith vs. Kindelsperger; dec.—1733—Field vs. Glos; dec.

Judge Horton—10492—In re. petn. Walsh; dec.—7334—Harrington vs. Harrington; dec.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

7245—Andrew H. Thomson; liabilities, $5,200; assets, $300. Joseph Grauck, atty.

7246—Emanuel Meyerhoff; liabilities, $700; assets, $200. J. J. Hoch, atty.

7247—Frank Hart; liabilities, $180; no assets. J. C. Trainor, atty.

7248—Christ Stampul; liabilities, $3,800; no assets. J. F. Powers, atty.

7249—Harry N. Culver; liabilities, $9,300; assets, $200. Morton Culver, atty.

7250—David B. Smith; liabilities, $4,600; assets, $5,400. F. W. Joslyn, atty.

7251—Joseph P. Cadieux of East Elgin; liabilities, $25,600; assets, $400. F. S. Baker, atty.

7252—August Gabriel; liabilities, $1,500; assets, $3,100. Daniel McCaskill, atty.

7253—Charles H. W. Moeller; liabilities, $700; no assets. Candlish, Fletcher & Hamblen, attys.

7254—Hubert Kaulen; liabilities, $1,300; assets, $700. Young, Makeel, Bradley & Frank, attys.

7218 [withheld since Friday]—Petn. of Della Totten et al. to have Susan M. Brown of Genoa declr. bankr.; claims, $500. J. B. Stephens, atty.

Court Calls for Today.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Brentano—Trial call [law] 3857, 4619, 4690, 4693, 4694, 4699, 54, 59, 93, 3438, 3329, 4416, 4185, 2315, 2497, 4622. On trial 3288.

Judge Chetlain—No announcement.

Judge Chytraus—Trial call [law], Judge Chetlain's calendar, 4056, 4059, 4145, 4146, 4158, 4251.

Judge Holdom—No court.

Judge Stein—Trial call [law] 1297, 4533, 5151, 5155, 5361, 5364, 5368, 5437, 5440, 5448, 5512, 5513, 5516, 5518, 5512, 5522, 525.

Note—Judge Stein will have a first call on Saturday.

Judge Hutchinson—Trial call [law] 1709, 1384, 1257, 1791, 4237, 4596, 1501, 5157, 10798.

Judge Vickers—Decision in 4204. Trial call [law] 8209. On trial 3222.

Judge Gary—Trial call [law] 5179, 5207, 5208, 5846, 5347, 5350, 5352, 4631, 406, 5353, 5354, 5359, 5391. On trial 5106.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Goodwin—Trial call [city cases] 6213, 6229, 6549, 6699, 7165, 7556, 8991, 9742, 2512, 6541, 1391¼, 3635, 5975, 8802.

Judge Tuley—Trial call [chancery] 10887, 10888.

Judge Horton—Set motions, 6445, 9786.

Judge Hanecy—Trial call [law], 13252, 13274, 13658, 13887, 14010, 14588, 15136, 15703, 15853, 16059, 16104, 16172, 16207, 16240, 16284, 16852, 16419, 16441, 16474, 16576, 16695, 16598, 16662, 16695, 16706, 11555, 9973, 2471.

Judge Tuthill—Trial call [law], 3966, 3997, 5481, 1111¼, 4636, 4630, 4942, 5001.

Judge Clifford—Trial call [law], 14250, 14485, 14529, 14665, 14779, 14791, 14678, 14880, 14925, 14969. On trial, 14363.

Judge Neely—Trial call [law], 10452, 8875, 2760, 12826, 12870, 12905, 12917, 462, 13008, 13064, 12964, 13119, 13211, 13303, 13327, 13349, 13361, 8610, 9475.

Judge Burke—Trial call [law], 17411, 17700, 15917, 4961, 5655, 6201, 9680, 4529, 4227, 16937.

Judge Johnson—County Court—All undisposed of cases in city special assessment calendar 88; legal objections and benefits.

Judge Carter—County Court—Motions of course. Cicero special—688.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Judge Kavanagh—Call not extended.

Judge Ball—2792, 2791, 2775, 1811, 612, 613, 621, 719, 628, 2411, 1484, 2273, 2408, 2410, 2412.

Judge Baker—Call not extended.

Judge Dunne—Call not extended.

Judge Smith—651, 818, De Essaur.

PROBATE COURT.

Judge Cutting—10:30 a. m.—Estates of Austin Killian, Kate Killian, minor; Monroe F. Clark, James Sebelik, John A. Milne, Lizzie Folsky, Nickolas Markey. 2:15 p. m.—Christian Seipp, Patrick W. Deffele, Franklin B. Clybourn.

FEDERAL COURT.

U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals—Judges Jenkins, Grosscup, and Baker—851.

U. S. District Court—Judge Kohlsaat—Admiralty calendar.

U. S. Circuit Court—Judge Kohlsaat—Motions of course.

Illinois Court of Appeals.

Mount Vernon, Ill., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—The following proceedings were held in Appellate Court, Fourth District, today:

R. Hunter Craig et al. vs. Harrison Switzer Milling Co.; error to St. Clair; motion for six days' extension of time to file cost bond; granted. Motion to dismiss appeal overruled; motion for extension to file briefs, etc., granted.

St. Louis, Vandalia and Terre Haute R. R. Co. et al. vs. Town of Vandalia; appeal from bond; motion by appellee to dismiss cause; appeal was not taken in manner provided by law; motion taken under advisement.

Jollivette vs. Administrator Estate R. J. Young; error to Jackson; motion by plaintiff in error to strike affidavit of defendant from files; motion taken under advisement.

John H. Jones, trustee, etc., vs. John P. Jones et al.; appeal from Jefferson; motion by appellee to dismiss appeal because of defective transcript; motion taken under advisement.

Provident Saving Life Assurance Security of New York vs. Isaac Cannon, administrator; William Cannon appeal from Crawford; motion by appellee to dismiss appeal because of defective abstract, etc.; motion taken under advisement.

T. Malott, Recrs. Terre Haute and Indianapolis R. R. Co., et al.; error to bond; motion and agreement for ten days' extension of time to file abstracts and briefs granted.

Kirkpatrick vs. Modern Woodmen of America et al.; appeal from Madison; motion and agreement for ten days' extension of time to file briefs granted.

Illinois Central R. R. Co. vs. Henry J. Leiner, Admr. Wing; appeal from St. Clair; motion by appellant for ten days' extension of time to file briefs granted. Court adjourned till 10 a. m. tomorrow.

United States Supreme Court.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—Supreme Court of the United States, Wednesday, Feb. 26, 1902:

Present: The Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Harlan, Mr. Justice Brewer, Mr. Justice Brown, Mr. Justice Shiras, Mr. Justice White, Mr. Justice Peckham, and Mr. Justice McKenna.

571—Ranney-Alton Mercantile Company et al., appellants, vs. The Denison and Northern Railway Company; appeal from the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit; docketed and dismissed with costs on motion of Mr. James Hadden for the appellee.

291—The City of New York et al., petitioners, vs. Samuel Pinsta; argument continued by Mr. C. C. Marshall for the respondents and concluded by Mr. George Rives for the petitioners.

317—Frederick Rodgers, appellant, vs. The United States; argued by Mr. James H. Hayden for the appellant and by Mr. Assistant Attorney General Pradt for the appellee.

172—Mary E. H. Gwyn et al., appellants, vs. The United States; argument commenced by Mr. James T. Boyd for the appellants and continued by Mr. Matthew G. Reynolds for the appellee.

Adjourned until Friday, Feb. 28, at 12 o'clock.

The day call for Friday, Feb. 28, will be as follows: 172, 119, 176, 171, 178, 165, 50, and 51.

NEWS OF THE RAILWAYS

SHIPPERS OBJECT TO EXTRA SWITCHING CHARGES.

Grain Men Appear Before Illinois Railroad and Warehouse Commission and Charge Extortion Where Produce Is Transferred to City for Second Inspection—Santa Fe Shows Marked Increase in Earnings—Same Road Will Test Various Ties.

Charges against the Western railroads, alleging exorbitant and unreasonable charges for switching grain brought into the city for inspection, were investigated yesterday by the Illinois Railroad and Warehouse commission at its offices here.

The railroads, it is alleged by the shippers, resort to unfair means to wrest an additional switching charge, and the protest asks that the commission issue an order stopping the practice. The railroads, on the other hand, assert that the charges made are fair and reasonable, and no more than the service performed is worth. They say all grain has to be inspected here, but in order to save the shipper switching charges for bringing the grain into the city, it is held at the outer yards for inspection and is then forwarded direct to destination without any extra chrage whatever.

Second Transfer Brings Charge.

It happens frequently, however, that commission merchants are not satisfied with the inspection at the yards and at the request of these men the grain is brought into the city for reinspection, and in such cases an extra charge for switching is made because of the extra service the railroads have to perform in hauling the grain from ten to thirty miles from their yards into the city and back again to the yards.

This extra switching charge the shippers want removed, and many of them gave testimony yesterday to prove the railroads are not entitled to extra compensation for bringing the grain into the city. Several of the grain inspectors gave testimony in favor of the contention of the shippers. Arguments were made by the representatives of the railroads, and then the commission took the matter under advisement, promising to give a decision in a short time.

Santa Fe Earnings Increase.

The January statement of the Santa Fé railroad company is far more favorable than was expected. There now has been a steady increase in earnings for over three years, and the summit has to be reached some time, as earnings cannot increase always. No indications of a decrease in earnings, however, are yet apparent. Following is a detailed statement of earnings, expenses, etc., of the entire Santa Fé system for the month of January, 1902:

	1902.	1901.	Increase.
Gross earnings	$4,878,152	$4,416,836	$461,315
Operating expenses	2,887,888	2,667,674	220,213
Net earnings	1,990,263	1,749,161	241,102
Taxes and rentals	188,528	168,302	20,226
Inc. from operation	1,801,735	1,580,859	220,875
Av. operated mileage	7860.21	7807.80	52.41

Comparisons for Seven Months.

Seven months ended Jan. 31, 1902:

	1902.	1901.	Increase.
Gross earnings	$35,754,408	$31,363,452	$4,390,956
Oper. expenses	20,291,503	18,603,018	1,688,485
Net earnings	15,462,905	12,760,434	2,702,471
Taxes, rentals	1,134,370	1,172,502	*38,131
Income and op.	14,328,534	11,587,932	2,740,602
Ave. op. mileage	7,853	7,806	46

*Decrease.

C. and E. I. Report.

Chicago and Eastern Illinois earnings for January and seven months ended Jan. 31 are reported as follows:

	1902.	1901.	Increase.
January, gross	$ 594,966	$ 523,039	$ 71,927
Operating exp.	307,264	278,025	29,239
Net, January	$ 287,702	$ 245,013	$ 42,688
Other income	11,243	10,456	786
Net income	$ 298,945	$ 255,470	$ 43,475
Fixed chgs. & taxes	132,724	132,312	412
Surplus	$ 166,221	$ 123,158	$ 43,063
Seven mo'ths, gross	3,726,711	3,377,691	349,019
Operating exp.	2,005,731	1,952,564	53,166
Net, seven mos.	$1,720,980	$1,425,127	$295,853
Other income	128,452	139,784	*11,331
Net income	$1,849,433	$1,564,911	$284,521
Fixed chgs. & taxes	921,411	917,777	3,634
Surplus	$ 928,022	$ 647,134	$280,888

*Decrease.

Will Test Different Ties.

Extensive experiments will shortly be made on the Santa Fé to determine the value of various compositions for the treatment of ties. A number of roads have furnished ties treated by different processes, and these ties will be placed in the roadbed of the Santa Fé at points where they will be subjected to the most extreme conditions of the climate and weather. Besides the different processes of treatment, different woods will be treated to make the test more complete. The Santa Fé has built a small tank beside its creosoting tank at Summerville, Tex., where ties are being soaked in crude oil to determine its value as a preservative.

Gross earnings of the Pan-Handle road for the third week of February decreased $3,469, as compared with the same week last year. Since Jan. 1 the gross earnings of the road have decreased $66,350.

SAVES STATE FUNDS AT FAIR.

Illinois Commission to Buffalo Exposition Will Return $19,366 of the $75,000 Appropriated.

Although the Illinois Building brought only $150 at the close of the Buffalo exposition the Illinois commission reported that $19,366 remained unused. The register maintained in the Illinois Building showed that 35,000 persons, giving Illinois as their place of residence, attended the exposition, and on Illinois day many were present who had no opportunity to register.

According to the report submitted by President Templeton nearly 25 per cent of the $75,000 appropriated by the General Assembly was not required, and will be turned back into the State Treasury.

The report shows the following items of expenditure and saving: Agricultural department, $10,000 set aside, $3,732 expended; horticulture, $10,000 set aside, saved $3,570; building, $47,000 set aside, saved $7,735; general expenses, $8,000, saved $543.

Illinois exhibiters received thirty-five prizes and numerous honorable mentions. The furniture and fixtures of the building were sold by the State Commissioners to the Charleston, S. C., exposition.

THUGS PUT COUPLE IN ICEBOX.

Mr. and Mrs. John Almen See Their Saloon at 1623 Clark Street Robbed.

Three robbers compelled Mr. and Mrs. John Almen to occupy the icebox in their saloon last night while the robbers rifled the money drawer. Almen has a saloon at 1623 Clark street, a deserted neighborhood after 6 o'clock.

When the robbers entered at 7 o'clock Mr. Almen was behind the bar and his wife was sitting at the end of the bar. Two of the men were masked. The presented revolvers, ordered Almen and his wife to throw up their hands, and then put them in the icebox.

The thieves secured $26, two watches, a revolver, and some old German coins. An hour later the police of the Twenty-second Street Station arrested two men who were supposed to be connected with the robbery.

USE OF PLAY IN EDUCATION.

Mrs. Mary Page of Chicago Talks of Kindergarten Work to Mothers' Congress.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Mary Page of the Chicago Kindergarten Institute, took advanced grounds on the general question of the educational value of play in an address to the national congress of mothers today. She asserted:

"Games are of great importance, because they make for use of leisure time—they make the habits of life; they vitally assist in the direction of the will. They demand justice, honor, right social relationship—the training of the moral nature. Play life should obtain in schools as well as in kindergartens."

The session of the congress today was taken up with the reading of reports and papers.

NEWS OF THE INSURANCE FIELD.

Vote on Proposed Rate Increase Is the Absorbing Topic Among the Fire Managers.

Little was talked of among fire insurance managers yesterday but the progress of the vote that is being taken by members of the Western union on the proposed 25 per cent flat advance. With 106 voting members, eleven adverse votes would defeat the measure, as 90 per cent is required to carry any mandatory resolution.

It is generally believed that the result will be close. As the voting members are scattered from San Francisco to Atlanta and the East, no decision is expected before Monday. Should the proposition fail by a few votes, the Governing committee may exercise its authority and order the increase anyhow.

A majority rules there, and the majority favors the advance, but declined to take action on Tuesday without giving a membership a chance, unless a unanimous vote could be had.

The Supreme Court of Illinois has decided the rebating case in which so much interest has been taken as passing upon the constitutionality of the law of 1899. An agent of the New York Life at Marion gave a rebate. Prosecution was brought, and both he and the company were fined $1,000, although it was proved that he acted without the knowledge of the company and in violation of its orders. This was taken up and has been affirmed, but the complete decision, just received, shows that the constitutionality of the law was not touched upon by the court, it holding that the trial court had not taken up that point. Companies had been hoping for a definite ruling that would help them in fighting the rebate evil.

J. L. Whitlock, Western manager of the Glens Falls, is sending to all his agents circulars relating to the rate increases and the heavy loss in the anti-compact States, and inclosing a slip relating to his anti-gasoline crusade, in which he says: "As you value your own life and property and that of your neighbors, lend your influence toward having the death-dealing, fire-distributing, home-destroying stuff banished from your community."

A classification bill has been introduced in the Ohio Legislature as an administration measure, being fathered by Insurance Superintendent Vorys. It provides that hereafter all fire companies must report their business under a classification, so that the question of adequate rates by classes can be determined. Unless the companies agree upon a uniform classification by June 1 the Insurance Superintendent is authorized to prescribe one. What this will mean to the companies is shown by the fact that there is no uniformity in classifications at present, one company having over 1,200 subdivisions. The companies are expected to oppose the proposition, as involving great labor and expense without any corresponding benefit, as the experience in a single State would be valueless.

The Royal Arcanum has petitioned the Legislature of Massachusetts, where its home offices are located, for permission to admit members between the ages of 18 and 21. This would help reduce the steadily increasing average age of the order.

At a meeting of the New York Fire Insurance Exchange a form of "binder" has been adopted which hereafter will be obligatory upon the members. It provides that the company may immediately relieve itself of liability at any time upon notice to either the assured or his broker, and that the binder, if not canceled, shall expire in five days.

DEATH OF DR. SARAH ANDREWS.

First White Child Born in Laporte—Wedded at 16, Studies Medicine at 48.

Dr. Sarah Wassin Andrews, who was the first white child born at Laporte, Ind., died yesterday at her home, 319 Bowen avenue. She was born in 1834, was married to George H. Andrews when 16 years of age, and moved to Chicago in 1872, bringing her five children. In 1882 she completed her studies in Hahnemann College. Only one of her children survives, Mrs. Ida S. Perry.

Dr. Alice Ewing died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Parker, in Kenosha, Wis., yesterday morning. Dr. Ewing went to Kenosha six months ago on a visit and was taken sick a short time later. She was 52 years of age. She was born in Walworth County, Wis., being the daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. O. G. Ewing. She was graduated from the Wisconsin State Normal School at Whitewater. After teaching five years she came to Chicago and began the study of medicine. She was a graduate of the Hahnemann College, and later studied two years at Vienna. For several years Dr. Ewing had been a regular practitioner in Chicago.

MARKET STREET REALTY SOLD.

Fee in Premises at 221-223 Transferred by Albert Keep to Thomas R. Lyon for $100,000.

The conveyance of the fee of the premises at 221-223 Market street by Albert Keep to Thomas R. Lynn for $100,000 was recorded yesterday. The property has a frontage of 47¼ feet, a depth of 147¼ feet, and is improved with a six-story and basement building, which was transferred last week by D. M. Pfaelzer to Herbert V. Seymour for $50,000.

Edward Mendel has conveyed to Charles E. Gill the premises in Indiana avenue, 175 feet north of Thirty-third streett, east front, 50x161 feet, with three-story flat building, for $28,000, the purchaser assuming an incumbrance of $15,000.

The northwest corner of Humboldt boulevard and Campbell avenue, south front, 144x166 feet, was conveyed by I. L. Quarles to Anna C. Lewis for $15,000, and then conveyed by the purchaser to Thomas J. Higgins for the same consideration.

MISSING GIRL RETURNS HOME.

Eighteen-Year-Old Odette Harlev Sends Word to Father Where to Meet Her.

Odette Harlev, the 18-year-old daughter of Dentist John Harlev of 3462 Halsted street, who disappeared from home a week ago, returned last night at 9 o'clock.

The girl did not want to talk to reporters. Her father gave the following statement to the police of the Thirty-fifth Street Station, who had been searching for the girl:

"I received written information from my daughter during this afternoon to the effect that she would be home tonight and to meet her at Thirty-fifth and State streets at 9 o'clock. I took a coupé there, met her, and took her home. She is well, but in a highly nervous condition. She says, she is glad to be home, and will not run away again. She was at work as a servant in a family living not far from State and Thirty-fifth streets."

KILLED AT A GRADE CROSSING.

Walter Johnson, Aged 11, Struck by Northwestern Train at Forty-eighth Avenue.

Walter Johnson, the 11-year-old son of August Johnson, was instantly killed by a Chicago and Northwestern train yesterday afternoon at the Forty-eighth avenue crossing. The boy had been delivering papers and was returning to his home, 2449 Kinzie street. He failed to notice in his hurry the approaching train until it was too late.

Richard Brown, a laboring man, 35 years old, was almost instantly killed by a trolley car at 9 o'clock last night as he was crossing the street at Polk and Clark streets. Brown lived at 148 Sherman street.

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OFFICE OF DISTRICT ENGINEER, MATANZAS, Cuba, Jan. 18, 1902. Sealed proposals for the erection of a Freight House, Pier, Railroad and Bridges, at Matanzas, will be received at this office until twelve o'clock noon, March 8, 1902, and then publicly opened. Information furnished on application. JNO. S. WINN, Captain 2nd Cavalry, District Engineer.

GEN. GAGE

Gen. Thomas Gage, Royal Governor, whose attempt to arrest Adams and Hancock (Boston's two wealthiest citizens) precipitated the War of Independence, was a man of overbearing temper, but of extremely social instincts. He knew good liquor, his favorite beverage being whiskey punch. At a banquet in Faneuil Hall he proposed this toast: "The Loyal and Prosperous City of Boston."

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1902.

Death of Jadassohn.

One by one the composers of the old school in Germany are passing away. On the first of this month Salomon Jadassohn, one of the most eminent pupils of Liszt and Hauptmann, and for many years a professor in the Leipsic Conservatory, died in his seventy-first year. He was a master of form, as is shown in his symphonies, overtures, concertos, motets, and chamber and vocal music. His compositions are characterized by finish of style and brilliancy of effect, but his greatest fame has been gained as an instructor. Since 1871 he has been professor of harmony, counterpoint, composition, and instrumentation in the Conservatory at Leipsic, and though extremely conservative, as most of the professors in that institution always have been, he was recognized as one of its ablest teachers. Like Reinecke, Rheinberger, and other famous Leipsic professors, he will be chiefly remembered by his contributions to musical art, of which "Harmonielehre" (1883), "Kontrapunkt," and "Kanon und Fugue," both in 1884, are the most important.

Evidently a Highly Colored Report.

This week a man was put on trial for larceny in the Criminal Court. He pleaded guilty. He also made the plea so frequently heard that "it was the drink made me do it." He made the further plea that he had a family—a wife and nine children. This family plea is not an infrequent one. Men who never think of their families at any other time think of them when in court. According to the newspaper reports this man's family got him off. He has nine children, so has the Judge who tried him. Each of them has a boy of 14, and each of them has baby twins. It is safe to assume that the newspaper reports are not quite correct, and that the Judge did not let the self-confessed thief go free simply because of this similarity in families. Coincidences of this kind may interest the judicial mind, but cannot properly influence it. It must be that there was something about this thief besides his family which led the Judge to believe that justice would not suffer if he were allowed to go free—that the probabilities were he would not commit a second offense. The intelligent and humane Judge can sometimes by the wise exercise of clemency rescue from a life of crime a man just entering upon such a life. But the criminal who has twins is not for that reason entitled to special consideration or commiseration. Justice is an old maid who does not allow her decrees to be influenced by the numerousness of the family of a transgressor.

A SELFISH AND IGNORANT POLICY.

The President, Vice President, and Senate of the Cuban republic were elected last Monday. So far as the Executive and legislative departments are concerned that new republic is now ready for operations. But what a farce an independent government of Cuba would be at this time. It would not have at its command revenues sufficient for its support. It would be unable to raise adequate revenues by taxation, for the people are too poor to pay taxes. The Platt amendment would stand in the way of its borrowing money. The crippled republic would be a wretched failure—a governmental abortion.

President Palma said the other day that he did not intend to act as President unless provision was made for a stable government by lowering the duties on Cuban products, so that they may command better prices in American markets and their producers be put on their feet. This is a sensible resolve on President Palma's part. No wise man cares to put himself at the head of an undertaking which needs must fail. President Palma must be disturbed over the unreadiness of the Republicans in the House of Representatives to come to the relief of Cuba in the only way in which Cuba can have effective relief. Those Republicans met on Tuesday night to consider the proposition of the Committee on Ways and Means that the duties on imports from Cuba be reduced 20 per cent. No conclusion was arrived at and the caucus adjourned for a week.

The beet sugar men were at the caucus in force. They cried out in unison that even the small measure of relief for the Cubans proposed by the committee would spell ruin for the infant beet sugar industry. No assertion can well be more absurd. Its inaccuracy has been demonstrated again and again. But arguments and facts are unavailing when addressed to the insane selfishness of a highly protected industry. This particular industry, however, which is seeking the ruin of Cuban industries is established in a comparatively small number of States. It remains to be seen whether Representatives from those States can dominate the other Republicans in the House.

If the beet sugar men and their representatives in the House were not so hopelessly blind they would perceive that their policy can have no other outcome than the annexation of Cuba. A denial to the Cubans of freer access to American markets will break down any independent Cuban government that may be set up. Social and political disorder will break out soon after that government is installed. It will be unable to keep the peace. Then it will be necessary for the United States to intervene again and that intervention will mean annexation. Then it will be impossible to prevent the free admission of Cuban sugar. If the beet sugar men dread a reduction of 20 per cent in the duties on Cuban sugar they should have a much more lively dread of a 100 per cent reduction. That reduction will come unless Cuba becomes independent with a stable government.

This is the time for the beet sugar men to make their choice. If they do not concede a little now they will have to concede everything later on.

TO SUBJUGATE THE LEGISLATURE.

The Illinois constitution declares:

The powers of the government of this State are divided into three distinct departments—the legislative, executive, and judicial—and no person or collection of persons being one of these departments shall exercise any power properly belonging to either of the others, except as hereinafter expressly directed or permitted.

The object of this provision, which is common to all American State constitutions, is to prevent encroachments by one department of government upon another. The Illinois constitution vests the legislative power in a General Assembly and empowers each of the two Houses of which it is composed to elect its own officers. To protect the independence of the Legislature against executive influence it is provided that no person elected to the General Assembly shall receive any civil appointment within the State from the Governor during the term for which he shall be elected.

The men who were in control of the Will County Republican convention, which met day before yesterday, are ignorant of or indifferent to constitutional provisions for the maintenance of the independence of the legislative branch of the government. That convention committed the unprecedented act of instructing the delegates to the Senatorial convention "to instruct the nominees of that convention to support the State administration in the organization of the Senate and House." The county convention gives its orders that the future Senator and Representatives from Will County shall go to the Executive Mansion next January and there humbly ask for instructions as to whom they shall support for officers of their respective Houses, and then in Senate and House caucuses vote in obedience to executive instructions.

This is a proposition that, in case the Republicans retain control of the two Houses of the General Assembly, Governor Yates shall organize them. The intention is that he shall designate the Speaker of the House, and through him designate the committees of that body and control its legislation. It is the intention also that the Governor, or the "machine" of which he is a part, shall select the Senate committees and control legislation in that branch of the General Assembly.

This action of the Will County convention, which was dominated by the "machine," is the first open step which has been taken towards carrying out an audacious and revolutionary project. The object is to subvert the independence of the legislative branch of the government and turn over its powers to the executive branch. The Legislature is to be the servant of the Governor or of the "machine" he is identified with.

If that "machine" shall dictate the organization of the Senate and House it will be the master of the legislative department of the government. It will decide what bills shall be passed and what bills shall be defeated. To it all who desire "friendly" legislation, or wish to defeat "unfriendly" legislation, will have to apply and will have to negotiate with it as to terms.

Suppose the Senatorial convention of Will County instructs its nominees to be the servants of the Governor in the organization of House and Senate and those nominees are elected. These instructions will not be binding on them. Obedience to them would be slavish and dishonorable. It would be a violation of the oath members of the Legislature take to support the constitution. No member can honorably part with his authority by permitting the executive department to assume control of the legislative department.

There are many persons in this State who are not satisfied with the way in which the Governor is discharging the duties imposed on him by the constitution. They doubt his ability to discharge those duties acceptably. For that reason, as well as for other reasons, they do not wish to see him arrogate to himself the powers of the legislative department, feeling assured, as they do, that he will make an unwise use of them.

FOR CAREFUL PARK EXTENSION.

Certain events of the last few days indicate the vitality and far-reaching importance of the idea that park and playground extension should be treated on broad and scientific lines.

Although the City Park commission was directed in the resolution creating it to take up the question of the entire plan of the city with reference to open spaces and to make a systematic study of the needs and opportunities for extension, it has, for various reasons, failed thus far to employ the talent required for such a study or to attempt to carry it out. It has instead devoted itself largely, and with commendable results, to preliminary inquiries respecting possible sites for parks and playgrounds, to the establishment of playgrounds near several schools, and to the procuring of authority from the last Legislature for the expenditure of $2,500,000 by the three Park boards for acquiring parks and playgrounds.

To the most active members of the commission, however, it has been growing steadily plainer that, despite much honest work performed by them in looking up possible locations, the task of actually making definite recommendations for the expenditure of this money is not only one which should be performed with intelligent reference to future improvements of the same sort and to a harmonious plan of city development but one for the proper performance of which special ability is indispensable.

It was for this reason that, when it was proposed at the meeting of the commission on Saturday to ask the three Park boards to unite with it for the purpose of employing such special ability, the idea met with hearty approval among the members. The proposal was also well received when informally laid before the West Side Park board—at its meeting on Tuesday on the subject of small parks—by a committee of the City Park commission. There are likewise indications that it will be favorably considered by the other Park boards.

These facts only indicate that the idea of dealing in a broad and careful manner with the subject of extending small parks and playgrounds—in a manner calculated to insure the best results for Chicago from the expenditure to be made and to challenge further allowances in the same line—is certain, when plainly presented, to meet the approval not only of the public but also of responsible officials. Nor need it be added that in this way alone can the public interests, present and future, be properly conserved.

It is to be hoped that the plan for dealing thus carefully with the entire subject of open spaces will be sympathetically and resolutely carried out by the authorities concerned.

ROYAL FAVORS TO AMERICAN COLLEGES.

The President of Columbia College has been notified by the State department of the receipt of a dispatch from Minister Conger, in which the details of the gift of books to that university by the Chinese government are set forth. The gift, it will be remembered, is intended to illustrate the instruction in Chinese subjects which is to be undertaken on the new Dean Lung foundation.

The gift itself is a princely one. It consists of over 6,000 volumes and other literary material, divided into thirty-two heads or classes, treating of every subject known to Chinese literature. This great work was originally undertaken in the seventeenth century by the most eminent Chinese scholars and it now embraces a collection of ancient and modern books, in which are set forth, in the most systematic manner, all important facts regarding China.

Apart from the great value of this magnificent gift, which opens up hitherto inaccessible sources of information to students of Chinese history and literature, it is, as Minister Conger adds to his dispatch, "an indication of the friendly attitude of the Chinese towards the United States." It is also an indication of the estimation in which scholarship is held in China that one of our prominent institutions of learning was chosen as the recipient. Columbia, however, does not stand alone as an object of royal appreciation and favor. Harvard is about to receive from the Emperor William of Germany a collection of casts far exceeding in number and richness, as well as in value, any collection in the American Art Galleries. In this new competition of foreign nations for American favor there may be royal largess in store for some of our other colleges. It is not likely that Great Britain, Russia, France, and the other powers will stand idly by and let William and the Empress Dowager monopolize all the friendly sentiments. After Prince Henry has heard the last "hoch," we have still other "great and good friends," who may insist upon our reception of little souvenirs of their undying esteem and affection. Uncle Sam never before has had such a loving time.

CHICAGO'S OPIUM DENS.

It is said that at its next meeting the City Council will be asked to consider an ordinance aimed at opium dens. The main feature of the ordinance is that it raises the fines on inmates and keepers. It may be doubted if this device of raising fines will have any effect unless it carries with it a more rigorous enforcement of law than has been usual up to this time. The minimum fine for an inmate of an opium den is now $5. The new ordinance will raise this fine to $25. In other words, unless a conscientious crusade against opium smoking is ordered by the Mayor and the Chief of Police, there will be just $20 more of blackmail that can be exacted from the smokers. If the police think that they can, and will, extirpate the opium habit, as practiced in public rooms, well and good. Let the fines be raised. But if there is to be nothing but the present unsystematic, intermittent raiding, the fines might as well be left where they are.

The raid policy has been carried on now for years. It means a sudden, casual swoop down upon an unfortunate house, a ride in the patrol wagon, the infliction of a fine, and another entry in the police records demonstrating the alertness and vigilance of the force. The net results have been, first, a certain amount of discomfort and expense to the habitués of the places raided; and, second, the accumulation of a number of sets of opium-smoking implements at various police stations, most of these sets being retained by officers and others as curiosities. Meanwhile the spread of the smoking habit has not really been checked.

As Alderman Patterson says, the dens used at one time to be confined to the levee. They can now be traced into the adjacent residence districts. Residents of the West Side river wards know that they have found their way there. There are also places that no policeman dare touch. These, though, are few. The ordinary den could be closed if the police force, which the Chief may have good reason for regarding as inadequate, could apply itself to the task. The opium habit is one which can hardly be looked upon with tolerance, especially in an age when the unfortunate person who has received the repellent name of "dope fiend" has become so common. When Chief O'Neill has all the policemen he needs and gets his department in general just where he wants it, one must hope that he will give the opium dens a few months of close attention and see if he cannot restrict their activities.

DEYANKEEIZING MASSACHUSETTS.

The vital statistics of Massachusetts, recently published in an official report, are causing considerable surprise and much discussion by the newspapers of that State. From statements printed in these papers it appears that during the year 1900 73,386 babies were born in Massachusetts. Of this number 37,772 were boys, 35,614 girls; 23,006 of native and 36,062 of foreign parentage. The population of the State in that year was 2,805,346, of which number 1,959,022 were native born and 846,324 foreign born. On this basis the Boston Herald figures that while the native born outnumber the foreign born by more than two to one, the number of births among the foreign born exceeds those among the native born in about the same proportion. The same paper states that in 1900 there were 24,342 marriages, 10,695 among the native and 8,807 among the foreign born, but as the result of these marriages there were 2.1 children of native and 4.4 children of foreign parentage.

The rapid disappearance of the old American stock has long been observed in Boston, but from these statistics it would seem that the same process is going on in the State at large. It is not unlikely it is also going on all over New England, and that the old Yankee type is fast becoming a mere matter of tradition. A few years ago it was only possible to find the old-fashioned New-Englanders in any number at Provincetown, Marblehead, and Portsmouth, N. H. These have now been reduced to a mere handful. It is probable there are some genuine Yankees yet to be found here and there among the Vermont and New Hampshire hills who preserve the customs and traditions of the days of Sam Adams and, to a certain extent, the Yankee dialect, but they are comparatively few.

The Boston Transcript, commenting upon the figures in the report, dwells in a melancholy way upon "the relative disappearance of the old American stock." It is disappearing in two ways. The large families among Americans, which were the rule a century, or even half a century, ago, are no longer known. The native New-Englanders are little concerned nowadays about the scriptural injunction, while the foreign born obey it to the letter and increase and multiply at a prolific rate in Massachusetts, as they do everywhere else. Ben Butler recognized this many years ago, when he predicted that the day was not far distant when Massachusetts would be a Democratic State by the rapidly increasing foreign birth rate. Another cause for the disappearance of the typical New-Englanders is their inability to get a living among the rocks and on the ungracious soil of that section and their migrations to the West, where nature is kinder to the husbandman. The old stock dies hard, but the day is not far distant when a genuine Yankee will be as much of a curiosity as a buffalo in a section where Sam Lawsons used to be almost as plentiful as blackberries.

PRINCE HENRY is something of a strenuosophist himself.

ALL Mr. Mayor would need would be a plurality of the votes and a slight extension to his v.

SOUTH CAROLINA will not soon forgive the Hon. Ben Tillman for saying that a term as Governor of that State had unfitted him for the exercise of Senatorial dignity.

IT would be a graceful thing now for the Captains to pass it on to the jackies and the gunners.

BUT is the lie direct any harder "blow" than the charge direct that one has sold one's vote for political patronage?

PERHAPS the historic "letter that never came" will come yet. The one who has been expecting it all these years may have written to ask for an autograph.

THERE was glory enough to go around at the launching, but Miss Alice Rooseveit appears to have got the Admiral's share of it.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Things That Went Wrong.

THE MAN WHO DISTRUSTED BANKS.

A farmer residing near Kansas City, Mo., who had read too much Populistic literature and grown to distrust all banking institutions, went to town one day and drew all his money, amounting to $2,727.44, from the bank where he had been depositing.

He took it home with him, and when darkness had fallen he hid that money under the hay in his barn loft and went to bed.

The next morning, while feeding the horses, he bethought himself of his $2,727.44, and climbed up into the loft for the purpose of feasting his eyes upon all that wealth.

He threw back the hay under which he had hidden it.

The money was there.

THE MAN WITH THE SORE ARM.

Mr. Burkhauser, an elderly citizen of the Fourth Ward, was suffering from rheumatism in his left arm.

A friend recommended Dr. Rybold's celebrated Blood Purifier.

Mr. Burkhauser bought a bottle of the medicine and took it home.

Intending to use it, he put the bottle on the mantelpiece and lay down for a short nap.

When he awoke it was morning.

Involuntarily he felt of his arm.

The rheumatism was still there.

THE PUGILIST AND THE REPORTER.

Sharpening three or four lead pencils, the reporter went to see the knocked-out pugilist.

"To what do you attribute your defeat?" he asked.

"I got licked," answered the pugilist, "because the other feller was the best man."

On a Cannibal Chieftain.

A tough old cannibal was he;
You'll seldom see a ranker chief.
He lived till he was 88,
And never used a handkerchief.

Meanly Shifting the Blame.

"I know I had no business to lose my temper and make an exhibition of myself," said the slugging Senator, apologetically, to an intimate friend the next day, "but the very air of Washington seemed to be full of fight yesterday. You remember the D. A. R. were in session."

If It Were Like This!

Twenty years ago young Hiram Van Punk wrote an impassioned letter to Miss Wilhelmina Deanhowls, a rising young woman who wrote for the magazines, in which letter he avowed his love for her and offered his hand in marriage.

He received no reply.

A few days ago, however, Mr. Van Punk, now an elderly man with a wife and six children, was embarrassed at receiving the following letter:

"Chelsea, Feb. 18, 1902.

"Mr. Hiram Van Punk—

"Dear Sir: Replying to your note of Jan. 11, 1882, which I accidentally mislaid at the time, as I was very busy, I have much pleasure in accepting your proposal of marriage. Yours, sincerely,

"WILHELMINA DEANHOWLS."

She had just cleaned up her desk.

Uncle Allen.

"You never fully realize the value of time," moralized Uncle Allen Sparks, "until the horse you have put all your money on loses the race by a fifth of a second."

AN INSULT TO SOUTH CAROLINA.

[From the Charleston News and Courier.]

Senator Tillman's "apology" to the Senate on Saturday for his disgraceful conduct was even worse than his offense against all decency and good order. His plea that "I had never had any legislative experience when I came here and my previous service as Governor of South Carolina for four years had unfitted me in a measure to enter this august assembly with that dignity and regard, proper regard I will say, for its traditions and habits and rules that is desirable," was a reflection upon the traditions and habits and rules of the people of this State. There is nothing in the office of Governor of South Carolina to encourage the manners of the prize ring, and we hope the better sentiment of the country will acquit the people of this State of any sympathy with the brutal exhibition made by the senior Senator from South Carolina and his colleague on Saturday. The State cannot escape responsibility, of course, for the miserable affair, but it can at least express sincere regret that it should have been so disgraced by its representatives and hope that the rest of the world will pity if it cannot forgive.

We do not think it necessary to comment at length upon the events which resulted in the outrageous assault in the Senate on Saturday. Senator Tillman cannot say that he was goaded by Senator Spooner into making an accusation against his colleague, which he admitted, in the course of debate, that he could not prove, and he cannot defend his assault upon McLaurin on the ground that McLaurin called him a liar. Respect for his office, for the place, for the good cause he had espoused, and ordinary regard for himself should have restrained him from actual resort to personal violence. Had he knocked McLaurin down, that would not have proved that McLaurin's charge of falsehood against him was untrue; and if he felt that McLaurin's insult was so gross that it could only be wiped out by a personal encounter, it would have been more dignified had he sought satisfaction for the affront after the Senate had adjourned. If he meant anything more by his attack upon McLaurin than to show that he was not afraid to hit him, it is not too late for him to renew the controversy outside of the Senate; and if McLaurin's "apology," which was nearly as bad as his offense, was sincere, there might not be much difficulty in bringing the belligerents together.

The conduct of Senator McLaurin was utterly without excuse. His language in the Senate was an insult to that body and disgraceful to himself. He must have known that it would make a "sensation" at least, if it did not result in a resort to violence; and common respect for himself, for his State, and for the Senate should have influenced him not to give occasion of offense. It would be better for the Senate and for public decency if the country could be spared the humiliation of being represented by men who cannot control themselves.

No punishment that the Senate could inflict upon the South Carolina Senators would be too severe for their outrageous conduct.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

AN elocutionist recited passages from "David Harum" to a London audience, and the dispatches report that the audience laughed heartily and exhibited other signs of intelligence.

THE New York Sun, once written by a man named Dana, now prints it "née Jeanne Hugo."

NEW JERSEY'S Legislature has appropriated $10,000 to fight the Jersey mosquito. This is civil war.

!! SPECIAL !!

At Danville, Ill., on Tuesday Battromie Szilzexz and Waroniki Klzayteza took out a wedding license. For the best sonnet, built on rhymes to either or both of these names, we offer a fine steel engraving of George Washington. The sonnet should sound the praises of bride and groom, and must be in the legitimate form. Professor Triggs should have waited until he had heard these names.

MONEY STILL COMING IN.

Mack Cramer, as good a farm hand as any one need to have, now working for Add Powell, renewed for the paper of his choice, the Scribe, Monday.

Adam Hitz, the jolly little ditcherman who lives on St. Mary's, and as good a citizen as any one need wish to have as a neighbor, did not forget to pay the printer for another year's reading when in town Saturday.

Miss Cyntha Talbot, one of Plymouth's most highly respected young ladies, sends the Scribe to her brother, Samuel, who is attending medical college in Chicago.

'Squire Hixman of Colmar, a friend to every man whom he knows, renewed for the Scribe last Thursday. The 'squire will have a sale Feb. 13, and you should attend.—Plymouth (Ill.) Scribe.

AN enterprising pastor in Michigan City, Ind., is improving the Lenten season by peddling pocket prayer books to his parishioners. For an extra quarter he adds his autograph.

ANSWERS FOR THE ANXIOUS.

R. B. M.—What was it?
Saintess Grayce—Happy to oblige.

THE St. Paul Dispatch fritters away half a column of editorial space to deplore our practice of reprinting items from rural contemporaries. It may interest the Dispatch man to learn that many of these items are sent by the editors themselves and that a great many of these editors have been kind enough to put us on their subscription lists. Having been the editor of a cross-roads patent inside for a number of years, we fancy we know the rural editor as well as our friend in St. Paul knows him.

1701 FINE ARTS BUILDING.

Miss Ellen Ellenborough gives a tea at her studio Thursday afternoon to a few friends to meet Mr. Eduard Zeidenrust, the celebrated Dutch pianist, known to fame as the leading Bach player, and who makes his first public appearance before a Chicago audience Friday evening. In the East, where he has already appeared, the critics pronounce Mr. Zeidenrust's playing equaled only by Paderewski's, and the favored few bidden to meet him At the Sign of the Doughnut are expecting a grand time. The tea occurs at 5 o'clock. Æolian-ola used.

THE Ohio River is on its annual jag.

DISCOVERY OF AMERICA.

[Special Correspondence of the North German Gazette.]

New York, Feb. 25.—This a most extraordinary country is. Every hour, every minute, we see something to make astonishment. New York a great city is, almost as great as Berlin. Many of the buildings are of great tallness, and almost all of them are strong built and modern. No Indians have we seen since we arrived, except some men with rough necks, which our guides to us narrated were Tammany Indians. These are no longer warlike. Neither have we any pigs seen. These, our guides also narrate, are in Chicago. Today our Prince and party dined at a fine restaurant, called Sherry's. No American was present that did not own a hundred million marks. But—is it not strange?—these looked like the other Americans we have seen. We shook hands with the extraordinary Mr. Morgan, he who owns so many of the United States. We are told that he is worth, as they say, a million billion marks. Today's dinner, we are told also, cost ten thousand marks by the plate. It is wonderful. How little did we know of this strange country. Our astonishment makes with every hour.

COLLEGE students at Mount Vernon, Ia., seem to be in the same fix as our Midway young people. From "The Cornellian" we clip the following ad:

STUDENTS,

Try the Central House for a good meal. Price 25c.

FEARFUL INCONVENIENCE.

Owing to the closing of navigation on the river on account of the heavy running ice, Patriot merchants are greatly inconvenienced by the lack of shipping facilities, as all freights have to be hauled overland from Aurora here. William Pickett had a wagon load of beer hauled from there Tuesday.—Warsaw (Ky.) Independent.



A recent convert to Panamahatma McGinnis' New Thought. This picture shows him receiving the vibrations of Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness.

EARNEST men representing Colorado, Wyoming, Nebraska, and Utah have met to wrestle with the perplexing problem of irrigation—a problem that has baffled some of the best thought of our time, notably the W. C. T. U. How the arid lands of the West and the arid wastes of the human race may be irrigated with best results is a question that requires careful and deliberate thought. The supply of whisky and water is sufficient for all demands, but by the present unequal distribution much territory lacks irrigation, while in much other territory the oversupply not only does no good but works actual harm. We fear the irrigation problem will not be settled, and settled right, until the W. C. T. U. and the earnest gentlemen of the West now in session collaborate toward its solution.

JAPAN is not enjoying our open winter. Forty below is the latest report.

THE DAME FROM ST. LOUIS.

"Suppose we ask The Dame from St. Louis what is best to be done."

[Questions for this department should not exceed 1,000 words.]

I get so many letters asking me how invitations to a "social evening" should be worded. It is so simple. If it's informal, of course no form is required for the invitation. In a general way here is what we send out in St. Louis:

"My Dear Mr. ——.

We are going to have a can rush at our house next Thursday evening, and we are asking in a few thirsty souls to help the breweries out. If you would care to swozzle a few pails of lather we would be tickled to death to see you.

MRS. JOHN SMITH.

(Address and date.)

If the affair is formal the invitation should read this way:

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith
would be pleased to see
Mr. —— (name here)
on Thursday evening.
(Address)
Can Rush.

A good game to play between beers is guessing on the date when the Louisiana Purchase Exposition will be ready. In St. Louis, a popular feature is the offer of a prize for the guest who has the most relatives holding jobs under the exposition, with a booby prize for the guest owning to the fewest.

Ethel Louise—The lady is always presented to the gentleman.

Mrs. K.—The waist high handshake is the prefered.

THE characters in "The Messenger Boy" are very high-class people. The cast, as programed, includes a number of "Society Gentlemen."

AFTER the millionaires' dinner yesterday, the Hon. J. Pierp Morgan backed Prince Henry into a corner and outlined a plan to merge Germany and the United States.

AT last a use has been found for German champagne.

YOUR ball ticket entitles you to twelve waltzes and twelve two-steps, with extras.

HANG on tight, Henry!

YOU'LL get used to it.

S. L. T.



The Lion

IN his prime old Hiram Hunt never weighed more than 110 pounds. Even before his shoulders began to stoop he stood only 5 feet 1 inch in height. He was a harnessmaker.

Everybody wondered why Eliza Mary Allen married him. It took years to settle the question. Hiram had graduated from the harness shop into a bank and had become the richest man in the State before it was generally admitted that Eliza Mary had picked out Hiram because she saw in him undeveloped possibilities as a moneymaker.

Eliza Mary was a tremendously big woman. She bulged at every possible point and she bubbled over with tireless energy. She wanted money and she recognized in the skinny, low-voiced, timid little harnessmaker the qualities which, properly directed, would enable her to get it. Therefore, if village tradition is to be believed, she proposed to Hiram and had him safely married before he knew what was going on. At any rate, it was generally admitted that Hiram would never have had spirit enough to resist.



The Monument.

Immediately she set to work. She furnished the power and the direction, and she soon had Hiram gathering in money and piling it up in winrows like a two-horse hay rake. If she had let him alone Hiram would have staid in the harness shop putting new buckles on harness and now and then selling a buggy whip until the end of his days. He lacked ambition and energy, both of which Eliza Mary supplied in plentiful measure.

Even before Hiram and Eliza Mary made their first "tour" of Europe it was the settled conviction that he was the worst henpecked man on record. He had no opinions of his own on any subject except those which involved the driving of a hard bargain. In such cases he was quite sufficient unto himself. He got so that he loved the piling up of money. It was the only game he understood. Eliza Mary let him alone at it until he had got together more than a million. Then she set to work to spend it. Hiram never made the slightest objection. He allowed himself to be taken to Europe in the train of his big and bustling wife. She made all the arrangements, paid all the bills, settled all the difficulties, and kept Hiram under strict marching orders.

"Poor old Hiram," the town people used to say with a touch of envy in their tone, "he has to ask Eliza Mary every morning if he can put on a clean collar. He can't go out after dark without getting written permission, and when it comes time for him to die he'll have to refer the death angel to his wife."

That time came sooner than was generally expected. Old Hiram just simply wore out. Eliza Mary was inconsolable. She told her friends that she wanted to put up a splendid monument over him.

"What I want is something that will fairly represent Hiram's character," she said. "Something so typical of Hiram that when people look at it they will be reminded irresistibly of him."

She went to Rome to get it. A year later it arrived and was set up. The townspeople went out to look at it. Most of them, it was observed, gave a single glance at it and then hastily retired to some less sacred spot where they could properly give expression to their mirth.

At a cost of nearly $10,000 Eliza Mary had had carved an enormous white marble lion. The king of beasts was represented in the act of roaring. His huge mouth was wide open; his forefeet outstretched; his tail fiercely waving. From the tips of his claws to the top of his formidable mane the lion measured a trifle more than eight feet. On the base below the front feet of the monster was carved the name of "Hiram Hunt."

"There," said Eliza Mary, "that represents poor, dear Hiram better than anything else I could think of."

Rouge et Noir

HE was a drummer. He was a "sassy dresser." He had black hair and bright red eyebrows and mustaches. Hartley the druggist took him over to the oyster supper in Temperance Hall, above the postoffice.

Ethel Simpson was the belle of the oyster supper. She was a tall, slender girl, with what the novelists call a "glorious crown of red gold hair." All the young men in town were in love with her. At one period in her career Ethel had been engaged to the two Tomlinson brothers at the same time. She was a flirt.

Hawkins, the "smooth dresser," got his eyes on Ethel and lost his heart.

"There's the piece of goods I want for mine," he told Hartley the druggist. "I'm going to marry that girl."

"She won't have you," said Hartley. "She swears she'll never marry a man with red hair or whiskers. Says she can furnish all the red hair needed in one family."

"We'll fix that," said Hawkins. "Just wait till I make this town the next time."

With wonderful self-denial Hawkins refused to be introduced to the beautiful Ethel. He waited until he came back to the village on his next trip. Then the druggist hardly knew him. His luxuriant mustache and eyebrows were as black as his hair.

"Dyed 'em," said the drummer. "Wasn't going to let a little thing like that stand in my way."

Then he set to work to pay court to Miss Ethel. Six months later they were married. All the time Hawkins' mustache and eyebrows retained their glossy blackness. Soon after they were married Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins moved to a small town in the western part of the State.

One day nearly a year afterwards the druggist happened to be in Chicago and met Hawkins in the hotel lobby. The drummer's mustache and eyebrows were once more a gorgeous red.

"Stopped dyeing, I see," said the druggist.

"Kept it up as long as I could," said Hawkins. "But it took up too much time. Finally I shaved clean and went out on a trip. I was gone two months. When I got back home my mustache has grown out again and it was red.

"When my wife saw it she was furious. Declared that I had deceived her and that she would never have anything more to do with me. I told her I would not dye my whiskers and that I was going in to Chicago.

"'When you get tired of living by yourself,' I said, 'wire me and I'll come home.' I've been here now for three days waiting and I'm afraid she's called my bluff."

Just then a messenger boy came up with a telegram. It was for Hawkins.

"Come home at once," it said.

"Do you like red whiskers?" was the message which Hawkins sent back.

Two days later Hawkins got a second message.

"Yes. Please come," was what it said.

Hawkins took the first train.



"My Wife Was Furious."

He Wrote to Her.

The young journalist just come to New York excused himself from writing letters home on the score that he couldn't afford it; he got so much a column for writing professionally, he said, while letters home brought him nothing. "All right," wrote back the journalist's mother; "I'll pay you space rates."—New York Sun.

Parental Omission.

Mr. Bacon—"That young man is a born poet."

Mrs. Bacon—"Well, it seems funny to me his parents didn't take it out of him when he was younger."—Yonkers Statesman.

Nothing.

The Detroit bank man who saw the bank to the extent of $1,100,000 is troubled with nervous prostration. What does he think the depositors have?—Minneapolis Journal.

Future Vengeance.

"Never mind," said little Millicent Munnemaker, "never mind, Beatrice Bondclipper. You may be as mean as you like now, but when I grow up papa is going to buy me a German Prince, and then I am coming back to this town, and we won't let the committees invite you or your folks to the banquets or to hear the speeches of welcome, or anything."—Judge.

Billville Verdict.

"Have you decided upon a verdict, gents?" asked the Billville justice.

"We have, yer honner."

"Out with it, then!"

"Guilty," read the foreman, "but has one leg, a large family, and more expected!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Doubtful Recommendation.

The President—"Does your parrot talk loud?"

The Man from Rhode Island (modestly)—"Loud, sir! Why, you can hear him all over the State!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Extended the Field.

Wireless telegraph has extended the field of gossip to the ocean liners.—New York World.



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COMMENT OF THE EDITORS

VIEWS OF CURRENT NEWS EXPRESSED IN LEADING PAPERS.

Virginia Disfranchisement of the Negro—Supreme Court's Decison on Northern Securities Merger Case—Among Our Foreign Friends—Russia's Reassurances to Great Britain and the United States—William Jennings Bryan Gets His Dates Mixed.

On Feb. 6 the Virginia Constitutional convention, sitting at Richmond, defeated by the narrow majority of one vote a suffrage plan containing the familiar "grandfather" clause. At once some of the Northern newspapers jumped to the conclusion that the conscience of the Virginia people had been awakened and that the defeat of the plan was due to respect for the federal constitution. And a little later, when the convention rejected that other device for disfranchising the negro voter known as the "understanding" clause, the Northern comment was even more favorable. Soon, however, the radical Democratic papers of Virginia began to disabuse the Northern mind of the idea that the people of Virginia had become conscience stricken. The Richmond Times says that many leaders of the Democratic party are well content with the manner in which "the negro vote is handled" under the workings of the Walton law, and that they fear the result of a wholesale and irrevocable disfranchisement of the negro voter. At present the white population is held to fealty to the Democratic party by the fear of negro domination.—New York Times (Dem.).

Should Be Quick About It.

The Virginians ought to get a hustle on themselves. If they will quit trying to pack a hundred years of future legislation into the fundamental charter; if they will consider that wisdom is not to die with the adjournment of this convention; and that the people of ten, thirty, and fifty years hence may be trusted to make laws opportune for their necessities, the constitution might be completed in two weeks more and the memory of the convention be preserved against future jeers.—Atlanta Constitution.

THAT RAILROAD MERGER.

Quite Another Thing.

The Federal Supreme Court has decided that the effort of the State of Minnesota to prevent the Northern Securities company, a citizen of New Jersey, from buying the controlling interest of two Minnesota railroads, the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific, is not for the court to notice. If the New Jersey citizen had damaged Minnesota the court would have determined the remedy; but it is quite another thing to be asked to lay the federal hand upon a Jerseyman merely for disregarding in New Jersey a Minnesota statute. This case having been thus disposed of, so far as the Supreme Court is concerned, the announced intention of the Attorney General to disrupt the Northern Securities company through the Sherman anti-trust law, and to defeat the company's purpose to acquire and administer the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern, next demands attention.—New York Sun.

Verdict Will Soon Come.

Out of this litigation will come a decisive and authoritative judicial verdict as to whether the method pursued in this instance of establishing a community of interests between competing railways is legal or not.—Pittsburg Gazette.

Regarded as Peculiar.

The decision of the Supreme Court in the merger case, to say the least, is a peculiar one. The court declines to take jurisdiction, not upon the ground asserted by the Northern Securities company, that the statute which the State was endeavoring to enforce was a penal one or a police regulation, and therefore had no effect or force outside of the State, but that the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railway companies are necessary parties, so that the interests of the minority stockholders may be represented in court.—St. Paul Dispatch.

Wall Street Shocked.

President Roosevel has at last given Wall street a distinct shock, and the worst it has received since the first news of the assassination of President McKinley was flashed over the wires.—Atlanta Journal.

Up to the State Now.

In the preliminary skirmish the anti-merger forces have been repulsed. The Supreme Court rejects the petition of the State of Minnesota to be allowed to begin its action against the Securities company before the highest tribunal in the land. The State is thrown back upon its own courts, and must begin the litigation there. Duluth News and Tribune.

Will Not Take Jurisdiction.

While the Supreme Court has been known to draw new constitutional inferences, it was not likely to do so in order to take jurisdiction over a new and rather vexatious line of cases. The natural deduction from the ruling is that the courts of the United States through which the lines involved run have the jurisdiction which the national body disclaims.—Pittsburg dispatch.

AMONG OUR FOREIGN FRIENDS.

Russia's Reassurances.

Russia's reassurances to this government in regard to the Manchurian question are particularly gratifying, for they indicate at least a postponement of the design to so promote the influence of the Czar in northern China that the territory will naturally come into the domain of his great empire. The answer to Secretary Hay's note likewise indicates the ruling influence of the United States, and perhaps puts a stop to connivance in the far East that will prevent for a time a serious clash between the European powers. In no way can America do a better service to humanity in general than by preventing hostilities. Regeneration makes much more rapid progress in times of amity, artificial or otherwise. The postponement of armed trouble is of advantage to the world. It is to be hoped that Russia will comprehend that any overt move in the Orient is dangerous, and that ambition will be checked in that direction. At times warfare is honorable, but when the sword is resorted to simply to satisfy ambition for the extension of territory and influence it is decidedly reprehensible.—Washington Times.

One Voice Is Heard.

Amid the chorus of congratulations with which the announcement of the Anglo-Japanese treaty is received in London one Cassandra voice is heard. It proceeds from the most sober, clear-headed, and far-sighted journal published in the British metropolis—the Spectator—which confesses a misgiving lest, of the two parties to the compact, Japan should derive much greater profit by it, and lest England, by her new alliance, should have provoked enmities which, at the present critical juncture, she could ill afford to excite.—New York Sun.

Opposed to Treaty Rights.

It is worth noting, though of course it is not at all necessary to call to it the attention of our State department, that the reported attempt of Germany to obtain exclusive mining privileges in Shan-Tung is clearly opposed to the rights of all the powers as defined in treaties and as interpreted in the recent letter of Secretary Hay.—New York Times.

IN A POLITICAL VEIN.

Got His Dates Mixed.

Mr. William J. Bryan, editor of the Commoner, either ought to abandon the habit of dating his paper ahead or else give up the controversial custom of maligning his opponents for what he takes it for granted they will do. Speaking on an article by President Roosevelt on enforcement of law, and making quotations from it, Mr. Bryan says: "The President says (or said, he may not entertain the same opinion now in regard to the anti-trust laws): 'An officer to whom is intrusted the carrying out of the laws has no discretion.' Another extract illustrates the emphasis with which Mr. Roosevelt can state a proposition (or could)." The paper containing this is dated Feb. 21. On Feb. 20 the announcement was made by Attorney General Knox that suit would be brought to test the legality of the railway merger in the Northwest, and made Mr. Bryan's sneers at the President and his assumed unwillingness to enforce the anti-trust law supremely ridiculous. Hasn't a professed statesman anything better to do than make flings at the good faith of the President of the United States which are so cheap and senseless that they will not keep till they are printed?—New York Tribune.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

THE COUNTY CLERK ISSUED PERMITS TO wed to the following couples yesterday, the parties living in Chicago where no place of residence is given: Age.

John E. Smith, Alice M. McShayne ....20—22
Frederick C. Grumley, Margaret M. Orlandie.21—20
Harry Kirschner of Barrington, Ill., Bertha Schaefer of same ....25—23
Albert R. Noa, Elizabeth A. Kieber ....29—21
Daniel W. Jackson, Marie Rassetti ....39—46
Thomas A. Adams, Grace E. Conorty ....28—19
Bernard F. Rasmussen, Anna C. Hanson ....21—18
Edward Lace, Emma Michaolis ....23—19
Joel G. Smith, Martha W. Geisler ....26—20
Daniel J. Garrahan, Jennie Donley ....35—40
Robert H. McCrea of Wabash, Ind., Cora E. Munson ....32—32
Fred J. Forster, Emma Roesch ....25—24
August G. Wolf, Mamie Conconon ....32—25
Elmer L. Cooper of Mokena, Ill., Ella C. Lauffer of Homer, Ill. ....22—20
Mansfield E. Bardner of Kankakee, Ill., Florence B. Lockwood ....26—25
William Matthews of Chicago Heights, Ill., Geneva Dobbins of same ....22—18
George S. Cox, Eva M. Darlington ....31—23
Axel F. Carlson, Anna M. Hanson ....24—24
Paul Dahlgaard, Emma Johnson ....31—23
George Thomas, Agnes Maurer ....21—19
Louis Robinovitch, Sarah Alexander ....26—23
Albert T. Brown of Marseilles, Ill., Inga Green ....64—56
Walter Parsons, Gertrude Bott ....22—19
Charles N. Kern of Butte, Mont., Annie H. Olsen ....40—33
John Hiland, Elizabeth Brownell ....38—48
Henry O. Miller, Evangeline H. Stannard....21—18
Joseph E. Reed of Thawville, Ill., Jennie B. Chafey of same ....31—28
Charles Hans, Anna R. Buehler ....47—39
Robert G. Skene, Ida E. Rennie ....38—24
Alfred O. Fehl, Blanche M. Ruch ....22—20
Samuel Tennant, Mary May ....22—18
Kinney Suggs, Lena Raines ....22—20
Dell Bergen of Petersburg, Ill., Elsie Schulte ....26—24
Asa A. Lewis of Sister Lake, Mich., Ruth A. Bloom ....27—27
John H. D. Reake, Lillie Pankonin ....46—26
John Swanson of Maywood, Ill., Anna Stevenson of Oak Park, Ill. ....35—30
Jeremiah J. Healy, Martha Bradley ....24—22
William Zimmerman, Maria Nachtigal ....32—25
Henry F. Struble, Eva Hildebrand ....18—18
Arthur G. Mullin, Saphronia B. Allen ....21—23
Fred Pouchot, Anna M. Decher ....34—23
Daniel R. Lawrence of Petersburg, Wis., Grace M. Mathews of Glenn Ellyn ....58—43
Charles Williams of Hammond, Ind., Frances Green of same ....41—35
William R. Murdoch, Charlotte M. B. Ronzer.24—28
Harry A. Shapera, Jennie Jacobson ....24—21
Anthony J. Clark, Lillie C. Reed ....22—18
Lawrence Herd of Prairie View, Ill., Geneva Shar of Knoxville, Ill. ....28—24
Jacob F. Hanson of Washington Heights, Ill., Dorothea Neumann of same ....23—17
Paul F. G. Reimer, Adele B. Sauerberg ....25—23
Anton Johnson, Annie Johnson ....27—27
Will Highte, Hallie James ....35—32
Elias Bloom, Carrie Reich ....25—20
William J. Ratledge, Mabel W. Young ....31—23
Joseph Uhrig, Harriet Brown ....48—46
Joseph Flynn, Theresa Bertelsen ....27—24
George E. Pickering, Lelita B. Predosa ....25—33

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS FILED FOR RECord Wednesday, Feb. 26, 1902:

Aberdeen-st., 140 n of Polk, e f, 25x109.9, Feb. 24 [H. L. Paesler to Friedrich Paesler] ....$ 4,000
Aberdeen-st., n w cor 73d, e f, 50x124½, Feb. 1 [P. Augsten to Peter H. Callahan] 1,000
Ayres-ct., 252 n of Huron-st., e f, 24x100, Feb. 10 [J. Anderson et al., by M. in C., to Laurence B. Dixon] 1,375
Baird-av., 339 n of Washington-blvd., w f, 40x126, Nov. 20, 1899 [I. G. Brown quitclaims to S. Warren Lamson] 1
Same property, Dec. 1, 1901 [S. Warren Lamson to Margaret G. Albrecht] 5,000
Belmont-av., 126 e of Ashland, s f, 24x125, July 25 [F. Guenther to Edward J. Birk] 5,000
Blue Island-av., 92 s w of 15th-st., e f, 48 to Throop-st., Feb. 24 [E. T. Thomas quitclaims to Anna L. Chase et al.] 75
Same property, Feb. 6 [Anna L. Chase et al. to William F. Heuer] 1,550
Calumet-av., 99 s of 44th-st., e f, 49½x137½, Feb. 22 [William H. Morris et al to William L. De Beck] 28,000
Central Park-av., n w cor 27th-st., e f, 433x124.9, and other property, Feb. 24 [J. Jonas et al., by M. in C., to Daniel Gawne] 6,957
Chicago-av., 100 w of Washtenaw, n f, 150x124, and other property, Feb. 25 [Robert F. Goodman to James B. Goodman of Marinette, Wis.] 10,000
Cortez-st., 99 e of Central Park-av., s f, 25x125.8, Jan. 31 [F. Schoen to Sophie C. Jensen] 2,500
Dayton-st., 105 n of Cornelia-av., e f, 30x120, Feb. 24 [C. L. Ryder et al., by M. in C., to Public Savings, Loan, and Building Association] 2,172
89th-pl., 191 e of Cottage Grove-av., n f, 25x121.7, Feb. 24 [J. Ackerman to Henry Plant] 1,000
Ellis-av., 541 s of 63d-st., w f, 28x132, Feb. 18 [F. J. Fadner to Edwin A. Wise] 1,500
5th-av., 50 n of 52d-st., w f, 25x124, Nov. 15, 1900 [M. K. Seyne to Frank J. Foster] 1,290
43d-st., 216 e of Grand-blvd., s f, 50x122.8, incumbrance of $4,000, Feb. 25 [Francis W. Coombs to Louis Daube] 12,500
Green-st., 241 s of Garfield-blvd., w f, 25x124, Feb. 11 [J. Snell to John Gill] 1,500
Greenwood-av., 150 s of 53d-st., w f, 50x164, Feb. 7 [Charles E. Gill to Edward Mendel] 6,000
Greenwood-av., 350 s of 63d-st., e f, 50x161, and other property, Feb. 20 [Maggie A. Stoker to Charles L. Anderson] 4,500
Harrison-st., 176 e of S. 43d-av., s f, 25x124 8-10, Feb. 6 [M. S. Root to Mary Gleschel] 1,000
Hermitage-av., 142 n of Wilson, w f, 25x165, Feb. 3 [Lucy G. Pickard to Gertrude P. Hall]. Incumb. $2,500 6,000
Hermitage-av., 96 s of Bloomingdale, e f, 23x122, Feb. 18 [B. O'Neill et al. to Joseph Schroeder] 1,700
Hoyne-av., 50 n of Cornelia-st., w f, 25x124, Feb. 18 [G. Lietzow to Chas. Schuett] 16,121
Humboldt-blvd., n w cor Campbell-av., s f, 144x166, and other property, Jan. 2 [I. L. Quales to Anna C. Lewis] 15,000
Same property, Feb. 7 [Anna C. Lewis to Thomas J. Higgins] 15,000
Indiana-av., 175 n of 33d-st., e f, 50x160 7-10, Feb. 7 [Edward Mendel to Chas. E. Gill]. Incumb. $15,000 28,000
Indiana-av., 197 n of 47th-st., w f, 50x161, Feb. 21 [G. W. Shaw to Annie Mitchell] 5,500
Indiana-av., 197 s of 46th-st., w f, 25x161, Feb. 20 [Chas. L. Anderson to Maggie A. Stoker]. Incumb. $7,000 11,500
Maplewood-av., s e cor Dunning-st., w f, 25x126, and other property, Feb. 4 [I. L. Quales to Thomas J. Higgins] 2,500
Market-st., 99 s of Jackson-blvd., w f, 41x147¾, known as 221-3 Market-st., Feb. 7 [Albert Keep to Thomas R. Lyon] 101,000
May-st., n e cor 73d, w f, 50x124½, Feb. 1 [P. Augsten to Gustav F. Schampel] 1,000
91st-st., s e cor Buffalo-av., n f, 25x135, Feb. 7 [E. Crane et al. to Louis A. Frey] 1,000
Ogden-av., 25 s w of Lincoln-st., s e f, 25 to Congress-st., Feb. 25 [E. J. Lewis et al. to Morris Stepner]. Incumb. $3,000 5,450
Paulina-st., 107 s of Summerdale-av., w f, 50x125, Feb. 24 [N. E. Fisk to Wm. H. Whitehead] 2,000
Paulina-st., 273 s of 73d, e f, 50x124, Feb. 24 [Svea B. and L. Assn. to Charley Lekberg] 1,000
Sholto-st., 350 n of Taylor, w f, 24x100, und ¼ int, Feb. 25 [D. Fitzgibbon to Andrew J. Graham] 1,250
Springfield-av., 250 s of Indiana-st., e f, 50x125, Feb. 25 [E. Freudenberg et al., by M. in C., to Edward R. Parry et al.] 1,750
Stewart-av., 35 s of 61st-pl., e f, 45 87-100 x120, Jan. 21 [A. O. Tibbles to Chas. E. Tibbles]. Incumb. $3,000 5,750
20th-st., 24 e of Leavitt, n f, 24x124.9, Feb. 25 [W. Klockzim to Monroe Kohn] 1,490
25th-pl., 131 e of S. 41st-ct., s f, 25x125, Feb. 25 [G. Long to Frank Sellers] 2,750
29th-pl., 175 e of Calumet-av., n f, 25x125, Feb. 11 [Wm. Stone to Leon Sligowski] 7,250
Waller-av., 286 s of Division-st., w f, 37½x124, incumb. $1,000, Feb. 24 [C. Carlson to Nils A. Nelson] 2,000
Belle Plaine-av., 291 e of Robey-st., s f, 37½x125, Feb. 25 [Wm. Goeters to Gustav Goeters] 1,200
Colorado-av., 126 e of Central Park-av., n f, 25 to Van Buren-st., incumb. $1,000, Feb. 18 [Emil A. Basener to Orien W. Sisson] 2,000
14th-pl., 168 e of Wood-st., n f, 24x124, Feb. 21 [D. F. A. Samuel to John Keusendorf] 2,000
S. 41st-ct., 25 n of Harvard-st., e f, 25x125, incumb. $1,200, Feb. 26 [S. G. Munn to Fredk. Heffner] 2,500
Fairfield-av., 578 n of 12th-st., w f, 25x132, Nov. 1, 1900 [C. A. Field to Victor Elting] 1,800
Same property, Feb. 25 [Victor Elting quitclaims to John L. Bolen] 1,700
Forrestville-av., 258 n of 44th-st., w f, 20x125, Jan. 23 [Hattie Wolff to Sarah Gates] 6,500
Fisk-st., between 33d-pl. and 34th-st. if extended, e f, 25x124, Jan. 30 [Est. of W. H. Burnett to Anton Ruszinski] 1,600
Chicago-av., 51 e of California, s f, 25x125, incumb. $5,500, Feb. 24 [E. Foll to John, C. J., and Peter L. J. Wold] 6,800
Lake-st., 56 e of Ada, s f, 56x164¾, incumb. $2,000, Feb. 25 [Louis Daube to Francis W. Coombs] 10,000
Muskegon-av., 130 s of 89th-st., e f, 25x138¼, Feb. 26 [Est. of M. Krynicki to Juliana Krynicki] 1,625
12th-st., s w cor S. 43d-ct., n f, 96x125, incumb. $2,200, Feb. 21 [S. H. Haddock to Geo. Beidler] 2,500
North-av., 73 e of Maplewood, s f, 24x120, Feb. 19 [P. Van Vlissingen to Gus G. Martin] 5,000
Park-av., 244 w of Oakley, n f, 30x120, incumb. $2,000, Feb. 26 [M. M. Miller to Wm. L. Dingman] 3,000
13th-st., 100 e of Jefferson, s f, 25x110, und ½ int, incumb. $2,000, Feb. 26 [Samuel Glasser to Simon Greenspahn] 2,125

BUILDING PERMITS.

THE FOLLOWING PERMITS WERE ISSUED by the Building department yesterday:

J. M. Hallman, 1½-story brick dwelling, 277 N. Homan-av. ....$ 2,000
Emil Jennes, 3-story brick store, 838 W. Division-st. 7,000
E. F. Bosley, 3-story brick addition, 299-301 Fulton-st. 5,500
August Helbig, 3-story brick store, 685 W. Division-st. 12,000
Auer & Fitzgibbons, 2-story brick barn, Mathew-st. and Ogden-av. 1,500
H. Macfarlane & Co., 3-story brick addition, 88-102 W. Harrison-st. 8,000
V. Meyer, 3-story brick flat, 1067 Whipple-st. 3,200
M. Bunda, 1-story brick store, 448 W. 26th-st. 1,000
William Kreft, 1-story brick addition, 1089 W. 12th-st. 3,500
W. Adamski, 1-story brick cottage, 1053 Whipple-st. 1,200
Henry Burke, 3-story brick store, 91 Racine-av. 7,500
Drovers' Safe Deposit Co., 1-story brick addition, 4203 Halsted-st. 2,000
Joseph Schmitt, 1-story brick cottage, 8663 Ada-st. 1,500
Fred M. Feil, 2-story brick flat, 6749 Michigan-av. 3,300
Anglo-American Provision Co., 2-story brick barn, 39th-st. and Parker-av. 5,000
Anglo-American Provision Co., 1-story brick pumphouse, Transit and Parker-avs. 1,300
John Erickson, 3-story brick flat, 9820 Avenue H 5,000
Mrs. M. Mulewski, 1-story frame addition, 1122-24 Montrose-av. 1,500
F. Bringer, 2-story frame cottage, 35 Melrose-st. 1,000
B. Moore & Co., 4-story brick factory, 111-117 N. Green-st. 31,000
William Faltman, 1½-story frame cottage, 1934 Hoyne-av. 1,100

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

THE SECRETARY OF STATE AT SPRINGfield yesterday licensed the following corporations:

L. Stein & Fisher company, Chicago; capital stock, $21,000; dry goods, hats and caps, and furnishing goods business; incorporators, John C. Pattison, Sydney Oppenheimer, and Menz I. Rosenbaum.

Farmers' Grain company, Metropolis; capital stock, $20,000; dealing in hay, grain, and seeds; incorporators, Laban M. Munie, Frederick W. Borman, and John F. McCartney.

Marti company, Chicago; capital stock, $2,500; painting, decorating, and calcimining; incorporators, Charles H. Soelke, Seymour Stedham, and Jacob Rothschild.

Nemoyer Manufacturing company, Aurora; capital stock, $45,000; general merchandise and manufacturing business; incorporators, Theodore Nemoyer, A. C. Miller, and Ella Downey.

The State Pawners' society of Chicago certified to a change of name to First State Pawners' society.

The Martin White Detective Agency of Chicago certified to a change of name to McGuire & White Detective Agency.

The St. Jacob Dairy and Creamery company of St. Jacob certified to a dissolution.

The Chicago Live Stock Commission company certified to a decrease of capital stock from $100,000 to $1,000.

The Weaver Coal company of Chicago certified to an increase in the number of directors from three to five.

The Carbondale Water Works company certified to an increase in capital stock from $40,000 to $100,000.

The Temple Store, Danville, certified to a change of name to the Emery Dry Goods company.

The Anna Lumber and Manufacturing company of Anna certified to an increase of capital stock from $10,000 to $15,000.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—CERTIFICATE NO. 160 FOR 291 2-3 shares of stock of the Columbia Malting Co., issued to John W. Painter. Finder will please return to the Columbia Malting Co., 1009 Royal Insurance Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

LOST—BROADTAIL COLLARETTE, FRIDAY night, Feb. 21, walking from Indiana-av. car to N. W. "L" station at Adams-st.; liberal reward. Address C 183, Tribune office.

LOST—ON NORTH STATE-ST., NEAR OAK, Feb. 26, a gold and green class pin, letters M. S. G. on face, J. W. on back. Finder please return to 25 Walton-pl.

LOST—MUSIC ROLL IN THE COLUMBUS Theater; reward and no questions asked; return, name in roll. 149 36th-st.

STRAYED—BROWN SCOTCH COLLIE DOG; suitable reward for return. 6200 Greenwood-av., 1st flat.

LOST — FEMALE SILVER SKYE TERRIER; $15 reward; no questions. Auditorium, 12th floor.

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South Side.

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South Side.

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Texas points and Mexico	*11:30 am	* 2:20 pm
Galesb'g, Quincy, Hannibal	*11:30 am	* 2:20 pm
Denver, Utah, California	* 4:00 pm	* 8:30 pm
Fort Madison and Keokuk	* 4:00 pm	* 2:20 pm
Rock Falls, Sterling, R'kf'd	† 4:30 pm	†10:35 am
Yorkville, Ottawa, Streator	† 4:30 pm	†10:35 am
C. Bluffs, Omaha, Lincoln	* 6:00 pm	* 9:30 am
Kansas City, St. Joseph, Atchison & Leavenworth	* 6:10 pm	* 8:12 am
St. Paul, Minneapolis	* 6:30 pm	* 9:20 am
Dubuque, La Crosse, Winona	* 6:30 pm	* 9:20 am
Kansas City, St. Joseph	*10:30 pm	* 6:55 am
Quincy and Hannibal	*10:30 pm	* 6:55 am
St. Paul, Minneapolis	‡10:50 pm	† 9:35 am
Dubuque, La Crosse, Winona	‡10:50 pm	† 9:35 am
Denver, Utah, California	*11:00 pm	* 7:20 am
C. Bluffs, Omaha, Lincoln	*11:00 pm	* 7:20 am
Deadwood, Hot Springs, S.D.	*11:00 pm	* 8:30 pm
Keokuk and Fort Madison	*11:00 pm	* 6:55 am

*Daily. †Daily ex. Sunday. ‡Daily ex. Saturday.

CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND PACIFIC RY.—Temporary Passenger Station, cor. Harrison-st. & 5th-av., during construction of new Van Buren-st. depot. City Tkt. office, cor. Adams & Dearborn.

Trains—	Leave.	Arrive.
Illinois and Davenport Mail	* 9:15 am	* 7:50 pm
Des Moines and Iowa Mail	† 9:15 am	* 2:00 pm
Peoria	* 9:15 am	* 2:00 pm
Wash'n, Oskaloosa, D. Moines	† 9:15 am	† 4:45 pm
Joliet Express [Note]	*11:45 am	* 3:45 pm
Local to Davenport	† 1:05 pm	† 7:50 pm
Joliet Accommodation	† 3:15 pm	† 9:57 am
St. Paul and Minneapolis	* 4:15 pm	*10:35 am
Cedar Rapids & Sioux Falls	* 4:15 pm	* 7:20 am
Joliet Exp.—Peru Accom	† 5:10 pm	† 8:50 am
K. City, St. J'seph, Leavenw'h, Atch., Colo., and Tex. Exp.	* 5:45 pm	* 9:55 am
Peoria	† 5:45 pm	† 4:45 pm
Omaha Limited	* 7:05 pm	*10:35 am
Big Five to Colorado, Utah, & California, via Omaha. Library Buffet car, Din'g car	*10:00 pm	* 7:20 am
Cedar Rap., St. Paul & Min.	‡10:00 pm	§ 7:00 am
K. City, Atch., St. Joe & Des Moines, Omaha, Tex. & Colo.	‡11:30 pm	§ 7:00 am
Peoria and Davenport	*11:30 pm	* 7:00 am

*Daily. †Ex. Sunday. ‡Ex. Sat. §Ex. Monday. Note—From Van Buren-st. depot.

CHICAGO & EASTERN ILLINOIS RAILROAD—Ticket offices, 131 Adams-st., Auditorium Annex, and Dearborn Station, Dearborn and Polk-sts. Telephone Central 555. *Daily. †Except Sunday.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Terre Haute & Evansville	† 8:20 am	† 9:15 pm
Southern Illinois & Thebes	† 8:20 am	† 9:15 pm
Mudlavia Spgs. & Brazil	†10:20 am	† 1:43 pm
Chicago & Florida Lim.	D* 1:02 pm	D* 4:00 pm
Danville Express	* 5:05 pm	*10:03 am
Chicago & Nashville Lim.	* 7:00 pm	D* 9:15 am
Terre Haute & Evansville	*11:34 pm	* 6:53 am
Arkansas and Texas	*11:34 pm	* 6:53 am

D—Dining car on these trains.

ATCHISON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE RY.—Trains leave Dearborn Station, Polk and Dearborn. Ticket office, 109 Adams. 'Phone Cent. 2037. *Daily. †Except Sunday.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Streator, Galesburg, Ft. Mad.	† 7:58 am	† 5:02 pm
Streator, Pekin, Monmouth	† 1:00 pm	†12:35 pm
Streator, Jol., Lockp't, Lemont		9:25 am
Lemont, Lockport, Joliet	† 5:08 pm	† 8:42 am
K. City, Colo., Utah & Texas	* 6:00 pm	* 9:00 am
The California Limited—S. Fran., Los Angeles, S. Diego	* 8:00 pm	* 2:15 pm
K. City, Cal. and Mex.	*10:00 pm	* 7:40 am
K. City, Oklahoma & Texas		* 9:00 pm

CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN RY.—MAPLE Leaf Route. Grand Central Station, 5th-av. and Harrison-st. Offices, 115 Adams. 'Phone 3503 Cent. *Daily. †Daily, ex. Sunday.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Minneapolis, St. Paul, Dubuque, K. City, St. Joe, Des Moines, Marshallt'n	* 8:45 am	* 9:30 pm
	* 6:30 pm	* 9:30 am
	*11:00 pm	* 1:40 pm
Sycamore and Byron	† 3:10 pm	*10:25 am
St. Charles, Sycamore, and De Kalb	† 1:00 pm	†10:00 am
	† 5:35 pm	† 7:45 am

WISCONSIN CENTRAL RY.—TKT OFF. 230 S. Clark-st. Tel. Har. 3357. Depot 12th and Park Row. *Daily. †Ex. Sun. St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, lv. *2:45 am., *6:15 pm.; ar. *9:38 am., *10:00 pm. Marshfield, Eau Claire, lv. †8:38 am.; ar. †6:15 pm. Waukesha, Fond du Lac, Oshkosh, Neenah, lv. *2:45 am., †8:38 am., †1:20 pm., *6:15 pm.; ar. *9:38 am., †1:05 pm., †6:15 pm., *10:00 pm. Waukesha local, lv. *4:00 pm.; ar. *10:20 am.

RAILWAY TIME TABLES.

WESTERN ROADS.

CHICAGO AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.
Ticket offices, 212 Clark St. (Telephone Central 721), Oakley Av. and Wells St. Station.

	Leave.	Arrive.
"The Overland Limited" for Sleeping Car Passengers only	* 8.00 pm	* 9.30 am
Des Moines, Omaha, Council Bluffs, Denver, Salt Lake, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland	*10.00 am	* 7.18 am
	*11.30 pm	* 8.50 pm
Denver, Omaha, Sioux City	*11.30 pm	* 7.18 am
Council Bluffs, Omaha, Des Moines, Marshalltown, Cedar Rapids	* 5.30 pm	* 6.45 am
	*11.30 pm	* 8.24 am
		* 8.30 pm
Sioux City, Mason City, Fairmont, Parkersburg, Traer, Sanborn	† 7.00 am	† 8.34 am
	†11.30 pm	† 8.30 pm
Northern Iowa and Dakotas	‡ 7.00 am	* 8.24 am
Dixon, Clinton, Cedar Rapids	†12.35 pm	† 1.15 pm
Black Hills and Deadwood	*11.30 pm	* 7.18 am
St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth	*10.00 pm	* 7.00 am
St. Paul, Minneapolis, Eau Claire, Hudson, Stillwater	* 9.00 am	* 9.28 am
	* 6.30 pm	*12.25 pm
	* 8.00 pm	* 9.45 pm
Winona, La Crosse, Sparta, Mankato	† 8.00 am	* 6.10 pm
Winona, La Crosse, Mankato and Western Minnesota and Dakotas	* 8.00 pm	* 9.45 pm
	*8.00 pm	* 7.00 am
Fond du Lac, Oshkosh, Neenah, Menasha, Appleton, Green Bay	†11.30 am	* 6.10 pm
		* 1.15 pm
Oshkosh, Appleton Junction	* 5.00 pm	*11.30 am
Green Bay and Menominee	† 9.00 am	† 4.00 pm
	k 3.00 pm	* 9.30 pm
Ashland, Hurley, Bessemer, Ironwood and Rhinelander	†a3.00 am	* 9.45 am
	* 5.00 pm	* 9.30 pm
Oshkosh, Green Bay, Menominee, Marquette and Lake Superior	a 3.00 am	* 9.30 pm
	* 8.00 pm	* 7.30 am
Green Bay, Florence, Crystal Falls	*10.30 pm	* 7.30 am

Rockford and Freeport—Lv. †7.25 am, †8.45 am, †10.30 am, †4.45 pm, †7.03 pm, †11.25 pm.
Rockford—Lv. †3.00 am, †4.00 am, †9.00 am, †2.00 pm, †6.30 pm.
Beloit, Janesville, Madison—Lv. †8.30 am, †4.00 am, *9.00 am, †4.25 pm, †5.01 pm, †8.00 pm.
Janesville, Madison—Lv. *6.30 pm, *8.00 pm, *10.00 pm.
Milwaukee—Lv. †3.00 am, †4.00 am, †7.00 am, *9.00 am, †11.30 am, †2.00 pm, *3.00 pm, *5.00 pm, *8.00 pm, *10.30 pm.
*Daily. †Ex. Sun. ‡Sunday. ¶Ex. Mon. ‡Ex. Sat. a Dly Menominee and Rhinelander. k Dly Green Bay.

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE AND ST. PAUL RY.—Ticket office, 95 Adams-st. Tel. 2190 Central. Union Passenger Station, Canal, Adams, and Madison-sts.

Trains.	Leave.	Arrive.
Janesville, Madison	† 7:45 am	† 7:55 pm
Mineral Point Division	† 7:45 am	† 1:15 pm
Rockford, Beloit, Janesville	* 8:20 am	* 5:55 pm
St. Paul—Mpls. Day Express	* 9:00 am	* 9:45 pm
Delavan, Wausau, Merrill	† 9:00 am	* 9:45 pm
Madison & Prairie du Chien	† 9:00 am	† 4:00 pm
Delavan-Beloit	†11:30 am	† 4:00 pm
Rockford, Beloit, Janesville	† 2:00 pm	† 1:45 pm
Cedar Rapids, K. City, Dub.	† 2:00 pm	† 1:45 pm
Delavan-Beloit	* 3:00 pm	* 9:30 am
Green Bay, Portage	† 3:00 pm	† 1:00 pm
Rockford	† 4:00 pm	†10:25 am
Janesville, Madison	† 4:05 pm	†10:00 am
Mineral Point Division	† 4:05 pm	† 7:55 pm
Madison, Prairie du Chien	† 5:00 pm	¶ 9:30 am
Janesville, Madison	* 6:00 pm	* 1:15 pm
N. Iowa, S. Minn., Dakota	* 6:15 pm	* 7:55 pm
Omaha, C. Bluffs, Rockford, S. City, D. Moines, S. Falls	* 6:15 pm	* 8:30 am
St. Paul, Minneapolis—The Pioneer Limited	* 6:30 pm	* 9:30 am
Green Bay, Iron Mountain, H'ghton, Calumet, Marq., The Copper Country Lim.	*10:30 pm	* 7:00 am
St. Paul-Minneapolis	*10:30 pm	* 7:00 am
Wausau, Minocqua Star Lake	*10:30 pm	* 7:00 am
C. Rapids, K. City, S'x City	‡10:25 pm	†10:55 pm
N. Iowa, S. Minn., Dakota	‡10:25 pm	†10:55 pm
Omaha, C. Bluffs, Denver	‡10:25 pm	†10:55 pm

For Milwaukee—Depart, *7:00, *9:00, †11:30 a. m.; *3:00, *5:00, *6:30, *10:30 p. m.
*Daily. †Ex. Sunday. ‡Ex. Sat. ¶Ex. Monday.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL—ALL THROUGH TRAINS from Central Station, 12th-st. and Park row. Trains for the South [except fast mail] can be taken from 22d-st., 39th-st., Hyde Park, and 63d-st. stations. Tickets at city ticket office, 99 Adams-st., and at Auditorium Hotel.

	Leave.	Arrive.
N. Orleans, Memphis Special	* 8:30 am	* 9:45 pm
Hot Sp'gs, Ark., via Memphis	* 8:30 am	* 9:45 pm
Memphis & N. Orleans Lim., Hot Springs, Ark., Nashville, and Florida	* 5:45 pm	*11:20 am
Monticello, Ill., and Decatur	* 5:45 pm	* 1:10 pm
St. Louis and Springfield Diamond Special	*10:15 pm	* 7:35 am
St. Louis and Springfield Daylight Special, Decatur	*11:00 am	* 7:30 pm
Cairo, Decatur, St. L., Local	† 8:35 am	† 7:00 pm
Fast Mail—New Orleans	* 2:50 am	
Bloomington & Chatsworth	† 8:35 am	† 9:45 pm
Bloomington & Chatsworth	† 4:30 pm	† 1:10 pm
Champaign & Gilman local		† 1:10 pm
Evansville Express	* 8:30 am	† 7:00 pm
Evansville, Cairo, and South	* 8:40 pm	* 7:00 am
Kankakee and Rantoul	* 4:30 pm	*10:00 am
Omaha, San Francisco	* 6:10 pm	* 9:30 am
Dubuque, S'x City, S'x Falls	* 6:10 pm	* 9:30 am
Omaha Day Express	* 8:15 am	* 9:30 pm
Omaha, S. City Fast Mail	* 2:55 am	* 7:00 am
Freeport Passenger	* 7:35 am	10:05 am
Rockford Passenger	* 2:10 pm	
Rockford and Dubuque	* 3:45 pm	†12:55 pm

*Daily. †Except Sunday.

CHICAGO & ALTON—UNION PASSENGER STAtion, Canal and Adams-sts. City Ticket Office, 101 Adams-st. Phone Central 1767. *Daily. †Ex. Sun.

TRAINS DEPART— "THE ONLY WAY."
† 8:35 am Joliet Accommodation.
† 9:00 am Pontiac, Chenoa, Bloomington, Peoria, Springfield, St. Louis, Jacksonville, Mex.
9:00 am Joliet, Dwight Accom'n (Sunday only).
*11:25 am Alton Lim'd for Springfield & St. Louis.
† 1:00 pm Joliet Accommodation.
* 3:00 pm Pontiac, Chenoa, Bloomington, Spgfield.
† 5:10 pm Joliet Flyer.
* 5:30 pm Joliet and Dwight Accommodation.
* 6:15 pm Peoria and Kansas City Limited.
* 9:00 pm Bloomington, Springfield and St. Louis.
*11:15 pm Joliet Accommodation.
*11:40 pm Midnight Special, Peoria, Springfield, St. Louis, Jacksonville, Kansas City.
Trains arrive from Kansas City, Jacksonville, Bloomington, *8:10 am, *2 pm; St. Louis, Springfield, Bloomington, *7:15 am, *8:10 am, *5:04 pm, †8:02 pm; Springfield, Jacksonville, Bloomington, *2 pm; Peoria, Streator, Dwight, *7:15 am, *2 pm, †8:02 pm; Jefferson City, Mexico, Mo., Jacksonville, Ill., †8:02 pm; Dwight, Joliet, *10:10 am, ¶7:30 pm; Bloomington Local, *9 pm; Joliet Locals, †7:50 am, †8:50 am, †4:30 pm, *7:45 pm.

WABASH RAILROAD—DEPOT, DEARBORN Station, Polk and Dearborn-sts. Ticket offices, 97 Adams-st. and 15 Congress-st. Telephones—City office (except Sunday) Cent. 3046. Depot, H. 755.

*Daily. †Except Sunday.	Leave.	Arrive.
St. Louis Vestibuled Limit'd	†11:03 am	* 5:22 pm
Peoria & Springfield Express	† 2:30 pm	† 2:45 pm
St. Louis Limited Express	* 9:17 pm	* 7:30 am
St. Louis & Peoria Express	*11:30 pm	* 7:47 am
Peoria & Texas Limited	*11:03 am	* 5:22 pm
Forrest Accommodation	* 4:35 pm	* 9:47 am
Cont. Lim., N. Y., Boston	*11:00 am	* 7:30 pm
Detroit, N. Falls, and N. Y.	* 3:03 pm	* 9:30 pm
Montpelier Accommodation	* 3:03 pm	*10:40 am
Detroit, N. Falls & Bos. Ex.	*11:00 pm	* 7:15 am
Toronto, Mont. & Can. Ex.	* 3:03 pm	* 9:30 pm

EASTERN ROADS.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL, N. Y. C. & H. R., AND B. & A. Rys.—"The Niagara Falls Route."
Ticket offices, 119 Adams St., and stations 12th St. and Park Row, 22d St., 39th St., Hyde Park, 63d St.

Nov. 3, 1901.	Leave.	Arrive.
Detroit Mail and Express	† 6.45 am	† 6.40 pm
New York and Boston Special	*10.30 am	* 4.00 pm
Buffalo, New York, and Boston	* 3.00 pm	* 8.55 pm
Kalamazoo Accommodation	† 3.50 pm	†11.35 am
New York State Special	* 4.30 pm	* 7.55 am
Detroit Night Express	* 9.25 pm	* 6.50 am
Niag. Falls, New York, and Boston	*11.30 pm	* 7.00 am
Saginaw and Bay City Sleeper	†11.30 pm	† 6.55 am
Boston Sleeper		‡ 9.00 pm
Via Pere Marquette R. R.		
Grand Rapids and Petoskey	† 7.15 am	†10.50 pm
Grand Rapids and Traverse City	†12.00 n'n	† 5.00 pm
Grand Rapids and Muskegon	† 4.50 pm	† 1.30 pm
Grand Rapids Express	*11.50 pm	* 7.05 am
Muskegon Sleeper	‡11.50 pm	¶ 7.05 am
Via Grand Rapids & Indiana Ry.		
Grand Rapids Express	† 6.45 am	† 4.00 pm
Grand Rapids Express	† 5.00 pm	† 5.25 pm
Grand Rapids Express	*11.30 pm	* 6.55 am

*Daily. †Ex. Sunday. ‡Ex. Saturday. ¶Ex. Monday.

THE PENNSYLVANIA LINE—CHICAGO UNION Passenger Station, Adams, Canal, and Madison-sts. Ticket offices at station and at 248 S. Clark-st., corner Jackson, and at the Auditorium Hotel. Through trains run as follows:

From Chicago to—	Leave.	Arrive.
Fort Wayne and Alliance	† 7:30 am	*7:45 am
Indianapolis and Louisville	*10:00 am	*5:30 pm
Dayton and Cincinnati	*12:00 n'n	*5:30 pm
Columbus and the East	*10:00 am	*5:00 pm
Baltimore and Washington	*10:00 am	*5:00 pm
Philadelphia and New York	*10:00 am	*5:00 pm
Philadelphia and New York	*12:01 n'n	*2:50 pm
Baltimore and Washington	*12:01 n'n	*2:50 pm
Pitts., Balto., and Washington	* 3:00 pm	*8:45 pm
Philadelphia and New York	* 3:00 pm	*8:45 pm
Pennsylvania Limited	* 5:30 pm	*8:55 am
Pittsburg and Washington	* 5:30 pm	*8:55 am
Philadelphia and New York	* 5:30 pm	*8:55 am
Pittsburg Special	* 7:30 pm	*8:00 am
Youngstown and Newcastle	* 7:30 pm	*8:00 am
Indianapolis and Louisville	* 8:40 pm	*7:30 am
Dayton and Cincinnati	* 8:40 pm	*7:30 am
Columbus and the East	* 8:40 pm	*7:30 am
Pittsburg and the East	*11:45 pm	*8:00 am

*Daily. †Except Sunday.

THE LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN Ry., N. Y. C. & H. R., and B. & A. Rys.—Grand Central Station, Harrison-st. and 5th-av.; and 31st-st. station. City Ticket office, 180 Clark-st.

No.	Leave.	*Daily. †Ex. Sunday.	Arrive.	No.
2	† 7:00 am	Day Express	† 7:10 pm	7
6	* 8:30 am	Buff., Alb. & N. Y.	* 7:50 am	3
10	*10:30 am	N.Y. & Boston Spec.	* 4:00 pm	21
16	* 2:00 pm	New England Ex.	*11:50 am	15
14	* 3:00 pm	Buffalo and the East		
22	* 5:30 pm	Lake Shore Limited	* 4:30 pm	19
		Elkhart Accom.	†10:00 am	175
26	* 8:30 pm	Cleveland	* 7:10 am	21
28	*10:35 pm	Tol., Cleve., Pitts., N.Y.	* 9:00 pm	23
32	* 3:00 am	Buffalo and Boston		

MONON ROUTE—DEPOT, DEARBORN STAtion. Ticket offices, 232 Clark-st. and principal hotels.

Trains.	Leave.	Arrive.
Florida Limited—Thro' serv.	* 9:00 pm	* 7:28 am
Indianapolis and Cincinnati	* 2:45 am	*12:00 n'n
Lafayette and Louisville	* 8:30 am	* 5:55 pm
Indianapolis and Cincinnati	† 8:30 am	† 5:55 pm
Indianapolis and Cincinnati	*11:45 am	† 8:40 pm
Lafayette and Bloomington	†11:45 am	† 8:40 pm
Lafayette Accommodation	* 5:20 pm	*10:25 am
Lafayette and Louisville	* 9:00 pm	* 7:28 am
Indianapolis and Cincinnati	* 9:00 pm	* 7:28 am
French Lick & W. Baden Sps.	* 8:30 am	* 5:55 pm
French Lick & W. Baden Sps.	* 9:00 pm	* 7:28 am

*Daily. †Ex. Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

ERIE LINE—[CHICAGO & ERIE RAILROAD]—Ticket offices, 242 Clark-st., Auditorium Hotel, Dearborn Station. 'Phone Harrison 3274.

*Daily. †Daily ex. Sunday.	Leave.	Arrive.
Marion Local	†7:30 am	† 6:25 pm
New York and Boston	*3:00 pm	* 5:20 pm
Jamestown and Buffalo	*3:00 pm	* 5:20 pm
Rochester & Huntington Ac.	*4:10 pm	*10:00 am
New York and Boston	*9:20 pm	* 7:35 am
Columbus and Norfolk, Va.	*9:20 pm	* 7:35 am

BALTIMORE & OHIO—DEPOT, GRAND CENtral Passenger Station. Ticket offices, 244 Clark-st. and Auditorium. No extra fare on limited trains.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Local Express	† 7:15 am	†5:15 pm
N. Y. & Wash. Vest. Limited	*10:10 am	* 7:30 pm
N. Y., Wash. & Pitts. Ves. Lim.	* 3:30 pm	* 9:30 am
Columbus and Wheeling Exp.	* 7:00 pm	* 6:30 am
Cleveland and Pittsburg Exp.	* 8:00 pm	* 6:50 am

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

NICKEL PLATE—THE NEW YORK, CHICAGO and St. Louis R. R.—Grand Central Passenger Station, 5th-av. and Harrison-st. All trains daily.

	Leave.	Arrive.
New York and Boston Express	10:35 am	9:15 pm
New York Express	2:30 pm	5:25 pm
New York and Boston Express	11:30 pm	7:40 am

City ticket office, 111 Adams-st. and Auditorium Annex. Phone Central 2057.

BIG FOUR ROUTE—DEPOTS, CENTRAL STAtion, 12th-st. and Park Row, and 22d, 39th, 53d, 63d-sts. Ticket offices, 234 Clark and Auditorium.

*Daily. †Except Sunday.	Leave.	Arrive.
Indianapolis and Cincinnati	*9:00 am	*5:30 pm
Louisville	*9:00 am	*5:30 pm
Cincinnati and Washington	*1:00 pm	*6:00 pm
Lafayette and Louisville	*8:30 pm	*7:10 am
Indianapolis and Cincinnati	*8:30 pm	*7:10 am

IN THE SOCIETY WORLD

MISS WEAVER GIVES A TEA FOR MISS EDDY OF BOSTON.

Old Maids' Convention at the Ashland Club Under Auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary—Round Table Discussion of Education of the Deaf at Residence of Charles R. Crane This Evening — General E. S. Otis and Family to Leave for South.

Miss Vivian Weaver of 4558 Lake avenue gave a tea yesterday afternoon from 3 till 5 o'clock for her guest, Miss Marion Eddy of Boston. Miss Eddy will remain in the city a fortnight and several entertainments will be given for her. Miss Bessie Watt of 678 Forty-eighth place will give a luncheon next Wednesday. On Tuesday of next week Miss Weaver will give a luncheon, and on the following Thursday a large card party. The tea yesterday afternoon was a young people's affair, and assisting were four young matrons, Mrs. Ford R. Carter, Mrs. Tracy Lay Turner, Mrs. Thomas J. Hoops, and Mrs. Charles R. Paul. At the tea table were Miss Marguerite and Miss Marian Follansbee, Miss Bessie Watt, Miss Katherine Gaylord, Miss Adele Turner, Miss Helen Hayes, and Miss Grace Follansbee.

The entertainment yesterday afternoon at the Ashland club was given under the auspices of the Ladies' auxiliary. Corkscrew curls and antiquated costumes were the principal features of the "old maids' convention," which had twenty representatives from the different States and countries. Some of those taking part in the cast were Mrs. George W. Trout, Mrs. Danz, Mrs. Rose, Miss Riswig, Miss Searles, Mrs. Millard, Mrs. Shaw, Miss Campbell, Mrs. Don Gallie, and Mrs. George Gunderson. The club has issued the March and April calendars. The Fellowship banquet takes place on March 18.

A meeting will be held this evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Crane of 2559 Michigan avenue from 8 till 10:30 o'clock, which will be open to all who are interested in the education of the deaf. There will be a round table discussion and reports will be presented by leading schools. Mrs. Crane is a member of the board of the McCowan Oral School for Young Deaf Children.

Mrs. Theodore Sheldon of 33 Bellevue place will give a tea on Thursday afternoon, March 6, for Mrs. Henry B. Stone. Mrs. Stone will leave Chicago shortly to live in Milton, Mass., where she has built a residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Greenebaum, 4510 Grand boulevard, will receive their friends informally on Sunday afternoon, March 2, from 3 until 6 p. m., on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary.

General E. S. Otis and family will leave in a day or two for the South and then will go to their home in Rochester, N. Y. The wedding of Miss Mary Otis to Mr. Ralph Isham will be celebrated there in June.

Mrs. E. S. Thomas of 4204 Ellis avenue gave a luncheon yesterday at the Woman's Athletic club, followed by a matinée party, for her guest, Miss Warren.

The annual dance of the Tau Phi Gamma Sorority of the South Division High School will be held at the Auditorium on March 14.

Mr. Charles L. Bingham and Miss Mabel Bingham of the Chicago Beach Hotel left yesterday for New Orleans and will go to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Orson K. Tyler, 4201 Ellis avenue, have gone to California.

Miss Marie Rogers of 370 Ontario street is at Pinehurst, N. C.

For the convenience of those who wish to purchase tickets for the benefit at the Grand Opera-House tomorrow afternoon the tickets will be on sale at the Virginia and Auditorium Hotels. The beneficiaries of the entertainment are the local Consumers' league and the Trinity free scholarship. Mrs. Fiske and her company and the members of the E. S. Willard company will take part, and Emmet Corrigan of the Dearborn stock company, George Hamlin, Charles Gauthier, and Herman de Vries will sing.

ILLINOIS DAY AT CHARLESTON WILL BE OBSERVED BY GUESTS.

Special Trains Will Carry Representatives from Local Clubs and Governor's Party—Exercises on March 11.

The official program for Illinois day—March 11—at the Charleston Exposition, when the State Building will be dedicated, has been announced.

The special train bearing members of the Union League, Marquette, Hamilton, and C. A. A. clubs will leave here on March 8, reaching Charleston on March 10, with a half day's stop at Asheville, N. C. These representatives will coöperate in the Illinois day exercises with Governor Yates and party, whose special train also leaves on March 8.

The program is:

Address of welcome—F. W. Wagner, President of the exposition.
Welcome by Charleston—J. Alger Smith, Mayor.
"South Carolina to Illinois"—Governor McSweeney.
"Illinois to South Carolina"—Governor Richard Yates.
"The Illinois Commission"—Frederick E. Smith of Peoria.
Address—E. S. Conway of Oak Park, chairman Chicago Citizens' committee.
Address—General John C. Black, Chicago.
Address—W. T. Abbott of Peoria.
"The Louisiana Purchase Exposition"—Henry M. Dunlap of Savoy, chairman of the Illinois Commission to the St. Louis Exposition.
"The Late Pan-American Exposition"—James W. Templeton of Princeton, head of the Illinois commission to Buffalo.
Music—"Illinois." "Dixie."
Address—Congressman George E. Foss of Illinois.

In addition to the formal program there will be a luncheon to the Illinois guests at the Woman's Building, with the South Carolina, Charleston, and exposition officials as hosts. After the luncheon the formal dedication of the Illinois Building will take place.

LIGHT FOR MAID AND MISTRESS.

Both Should Be Educated, Hull House Says—Woman's Club Elections Pass Off Peacefully.

Education of not only the housemaid but her employers was the keynote of the discussion of the servant girl question by the Hull House Woman's club yesterday afternoon. The topic for discussion was "Household Service and Personal Dignity." The speakers were Mrs. N. Elmers, Mrs. M. Cornish, and Mrs. L. Cronk. They were all of the opinion that household service should be looked upon as a science and one which required skilled labor.

Mrs. S. Hallowell, who took part in the debate, called attention to the fact that domestic science would one day rank as a profession and that there would be regular divisions of the work, some who would cook, some who would do the housework, and some who would have a thorough knowledge of sanitary laws and how to apply them.

The promised contests in the department elections at the Chicago Woman's club did not develop, and the anti-Wiles faction returned its members to the Board of Directors. Mrs. George W. Plummer, chairman of the Reform department, was elected without opposition. The chairman of the other departments elected were anti-Wiles women, although no point was made of this fact in their candidacy. Mrs. E. L. Upton was made chairman of the art and Literature department; Mrs. F. S. Howe, chairman of the philanthrophy department, and Mrs. J. W. Morris chairman of the home department.

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LETTER OF THE MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

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BOTH Princes de Croy, who are now in this country, and who have been entertained so extensively of late in New York, are placed in mourning by the death at Cannes the other day of the chief of their family, Duke Rudolph of Croy. He was a grand personage, a nobleman of the old school, near 80 years of age, and who in addition to his Dukedom of Croy was a Prince of the Holy Empire, a Duke of Aerschot, a Duke of Havre, a Prince of Solre, a Knight of the Golden Fleece, a member of the Prussian House of Lords, and the father of an imperial Austrian Archduchess—namely: the consort of Archduke Frederick. So great was his pride of race that when Archduke Frederick, the richest Prince of the blood in all Europe, asked for the hand of Princess Isabell Croy, her father declined to permit the match to take place unless his daughter was invested at her marriage with the full rank and prerogatives of an imperial Highness and of an Archduchess of the reigning house of Hapsburg.

It is the Archduchess' brother Charles who succeeds to his father's dukedoms, estates, and many honors, and he is married to Duchess Ludmilla of Arenberg. It was on the occasion of her wedding that her mother, the old Dowager Duchess, Eleanor of Arenberg, so proudly refused King Leopold's personal and pressing request that she would invite the daughter and son-in-law of Baron Alphonse Rothschild to the wedding, declaring that the King might ask whom he liked to his court, but that she was convinced it would require at least three more centuries before the Arenbergs would allow members of the chosen race to cross the threshold of the Arenberg palace at Brussels for social purposes. Part of that historic palace fell a prey to the flames a few years later, while the remainder has now been sold to the City of Brussels for use as a museum and the Arenbergs have transferred their headquarters to Germany.

The Croys claim descent from Bela II., King of Hungary, who reigned in the early part of the twelfth century, and they came conspicuously to the front as the Lords of Croy—Croy being a town and district in the French department of the Somme—in the thirteenth century. They became Princes of the Holy Roman Empire in 1486, and the head of the house was created Duke of Croy in 1598.

One of the Dukes of Croy, Charles Eugene by name, was a General in the service of Peter the Great of Russia, and was only interred three years ago, his corpse having remained without burial for 200 years on account of the claims of his creditors. He had been taken prisoner along with the Russian troops under him by Charles XII. of Sweden at Narva, and died while in captivity at Reval. An outstanding debt led to litigation, and the body was kept above ground as generation after generation of litigants grew up and died out, giving place to still another crop. How long this thing might have gone on nobody knows. It represented many fortunes to generations of lawyers. But finally the Grand Duchess Vladimir of Russia heard of the matter, and she promptly informed her nephew, the present Czar, who at once ordered the entombment with befitting honors of this much retarded corpse.

I may add that the English Earls of Wilton, whose patronymic is Grey, are descended from this ducal house of Croy, and use the same coat of arms. The name of Grey is merely an English corruption of the French word Croy, and the Greys are represented by no less than seven different peers in the House of Lords.

In all the obituary notices that have been printed about the late Lord Dufferin an impression is conveyed that he lost his fortune in connection with the financial enterprises in which he was induced to embark with such disastrous results by Whittaker Wright. The fact of the matter is that Lord Dufferin never had any fortune to speak of, and what little he inherited was swallowed up in maintaining with befitting dignity the high offices which he held at various times during his long career.

True, he enjoyed princely salaries while in office. But, like all those other servants of the English crown, he felt himself bound by a sense of patriotic duty and honor to spend to the last penny his pay and allowances in maintaining his office, and made no attempt whatsoever to save. Few servants of the English crown ever do make any attempt to save, and are content to depend upon the pension which falls to their share at the close of their career.

While Governor General of Canada Lord Dufferin must have received in pay and allowances near $100,000 a year. Yet at the completion of his term of office he was in such straitened circumstances that he lived with Lady Dufferin under the name of Mr. and Mrs. Temple Blackwood in a fifth floor apartment on the Rue de Rivoli at Paris, in the quietest fashion possible, until after some months he received the lucrative embassy at St. Petersburg. There his pay averaged $50,000 a year, and it was even somewhat larger when he was subsequently transferred to Constantinople and to Paris, while when Viceroy of India his annual receipts from the crown must have amounted to over $200,000 a year. Yet he never saved a penny piece of his pay, and if on his retirement from public service he embarked in financial enterprises in the city it was because his meager pension of $8,000 a year was altogether inadequate to provide for the maintenance of his family.

For so gifted a man, who could rattle off a Latin speech without difficulty and knew many languages, his French was indescribably bad. There has probably never been an English Ambassador at Paris who spoke French so abominably, and of whose mistakes so many amusing stories were told, some of them, indeed, getting him into no end of hot water, which it required all the tact of Lady Dufferin to smooth over.

Queen Christina of Spain on Shrove Tuesday held her last official reception as Regent of Spain, and availed herself of the occasion to deliver a rather pathetic little address, in which she declared that she had done her utmost to preserve the throne of Spain for her son during his minority, and had at the same time striven to give Spain a good King.

While she has not succeeded in winning either the affection or the loyalty of her son's subjects, she has extorted their profound respect, and Spaniards of every degree realize that she has transformed the court of Madrid from one of the most disreputable in Europe to one of the most moral and respectable.

In the days of King Ferdinand, of old Queen Christina, of the latter's daughter, Queen Isabella, the Spanish court was a byword and a reproach in the eyes of all decent people. Its moral standard was looked upon as even lower than that of Belgrade today.

There was a slight improvement during the reign of the late King Alfonso, but not much. For his intrigues were as numerous as they were flagrant and undisguised, and naturally the members of his court followed his example.

But with the advent of the present Queen Christina to the regency, matters underwent a radical change. Questionable conduct was no longer tolerated among the royal entourage. "Affaires de coeur" were frowned at and became a subject of royal disfavor, instead of being regarded as previously with complacency and good-natured interest, and the result is that today there is no more moral court than that of Madrid, or where the standard of conduct is higher.

In one word, Queen Christina has purified the atmosphere of the court of Madrid, and incidentally of Spanish society, in the same way that Queen Victoria purified the court of St. James and English society from the debasing influences of her profligate uncles who preceded her on the throne.

AMONG THE NEW BOOKS.

Critic of Nice Judgment.

"Victorian Prose Masters." By W. C. Brownell. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York.

There are few critics who speak with the moderation and unpretending eloquence of W. C. Brownell. For a nice use of words, a careful sifting of ideas, a generous and just judgment, he is rightly distinguished, and his "Victorian Prose Masters" must confirm the reputation he acquired by the writing of "French Traits" and "French Art."

The "Victorian Prose Masters" prove to be, in the opinion of Mr. Brownell, Thackeray, Carlyle, George Eliot, Matthew Arnold, Ruskin, and George Meredith. Mr. Brownell's own remarks upon criticism, made in his essay upon Arnold, indicate better than comment by any one else could the quality which gives to his criticism the vigor and interest which are ordinarily felt only in connection with creative prose. He says: "What criticism lacks, and what will always be a limitation to its interest and its power, is the element of beauty which it of necessity largely foregoes in its concentration upon truth. It is less potent and persuasive than poetry, than romance, not because in dealing with literature rather than directly with life it occupies a lower or less vital field, but because its province lies outside the realm of all those puissant aids to cogency and impressiveness that appeal to the sense of beauty and accordingly influence so powerfully not only the intellect but the emotions as well. But of its service to truth there can be no question. Its rôle is not confined to exposition, to interpretation. It is a synthesis of its naturally more or less heterogeneous subject. It is a characterization of art as art is a characterization of nature. And in characterizing it translates as art itself translates."

That Mr. Brownell realizes his own ambitious idea of the function of criticism is evident upon every page of his book. One selects a paragraph almost at haphazard, and thus comes upon the summing up of George Eliot's peculiar contribution to literature, in which the qualities which made her great vogue—and lost it—are referred to in fully adequate terms. He says:

"The caricature that a character of Dickens is apt to be proceeds from its being a characteristic in action. A character of George Eliot is formed of many characteristics fused with remarkable and sympathetic insight, but after all it is essentially a product of induction. Compare one of the happiest results of this procedure, the banker Bulstrode in 'Middlemarch,' with, say, Dr. Firmin, greatly Bulstrode's inferior in complexity, in intellectual interest. One is flesh and blood, the other attracts you because of the striking way in which moral self-sophistication is embodied. Nothing better attests George Eliot's scientific interest in character than her constant exhibition of its evolution. This is one of her real contributions to literature. The effect of circumstance in developing a character like Lydgate, for example, the difference between Rosamond as she is first introduced and when she leaves the stage, are almost Spencerian demonstrations. This, as Mr. Albert Dicey has observed, was an unknown thing in fiction when George Eliot began to write, and it is naturally savored by the palate of our day, which seeks a taste of science even in its literary confections. But it is needless to point out that it implies an instinct quite lacking in Thackeray, in whose view character is spectacle, significant spectacle to be sure, and its significance often copiously insisted upon, but essentially spectacle, and not the illustrative incarnation of interesting traits and tendencies. This is also Shakspeare's view, it may be added, as it is clearly the distinctly literary view as opposed to the scientific."

This is acute observation, with original formulation of ideas, not to say that it is also excellent literary style. Indeed, the quality of distinction is apparent everywhere in Mr. Brownell's work, and, without being in the least dogmatic, he inspires confidence, and one submits the mind quite cheerfully to his arguments, usually finding conviction as he would have one find it. Now and then he exhibits great delicacy of distinction, but this ability, which might prove hectoring to the reader of robust tastes, is less frequently shown than a fine power of arranging and classifying thought, as, for example, when he says:

"Nothing is commoner than to hear literature classified as creative and critical, with the inference of mutual exclusiveness between the two branches and the marked inferiority of criticism to what is called creation. Matthew Arnold performed a signal service in characterizing literature as a 'criticism of life,' and thereby revealing to the unreflecting the essentially critical nature and function of the truly creative 'thought of thinking souls'—to recall Carlyle's definition of literature itself. His emphasis was, of course, on the word 'life,' but the incidental implication as to how literature is concerned with its proper 'content' has a value of its own. To deal with life powerfully and profoundly is to deal with it critically. And in this fundamental sense the 'Ode on a Grecian Urn' and the 'Ode to Duty' are themselves criticism."

The most enjoyable pages in the book—at least to one reader—are those which deal with George Meredith. There is a temptation to quote pages of this particular criticism, so charming and so lucid is it—as it must needs be to command respect, dealing as it does with the most irresistible and illusive of psychological students who have set forth their discoveries through the medium of fiction.

Story of the Sepoy Rebellion.

"The Tale of the Great Mutiny," by W. H. Fitchett. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York.

"The Tale of the Great Mutiny," by W. H. Fitchett, B. A., LL. D., is a book without a dull line, written with the zest and enthusiasm of tale-telling. Whether the more reflective minds of England would consider this relation adequate of the terrible period which it chronicles, one cannot know. It is not a profound book; it makes, in fact, no pretensions to be anything more than a "tale." As such, it holds the reader in a condition of almost breathless interest, and engages his sympathies for the English to the utmost extent. It deals but briefly with the causes of the mutiny, and not at all with the right of England to hold supremacy over the people of another race. "We trod," Dr. Fitchett admits, "with heavy-footed British clumsiness on the historic superstitions, the ancient habitudes of the Sepoys, and so provoked them to revolt. But the dour British character, which is at the root of British clumsiness, in the end, overbore the revolt. The virtues of the British rule thus proved its peril. Its cool justice, its steadfast enforcement of order, its tireless warfare against crime, made it hated of all the lawless and predatory classes. Every native who lived by vice, chafed under a justice which might be slow and passionless, but which could not be bribed, and in the long run could not be escaped."

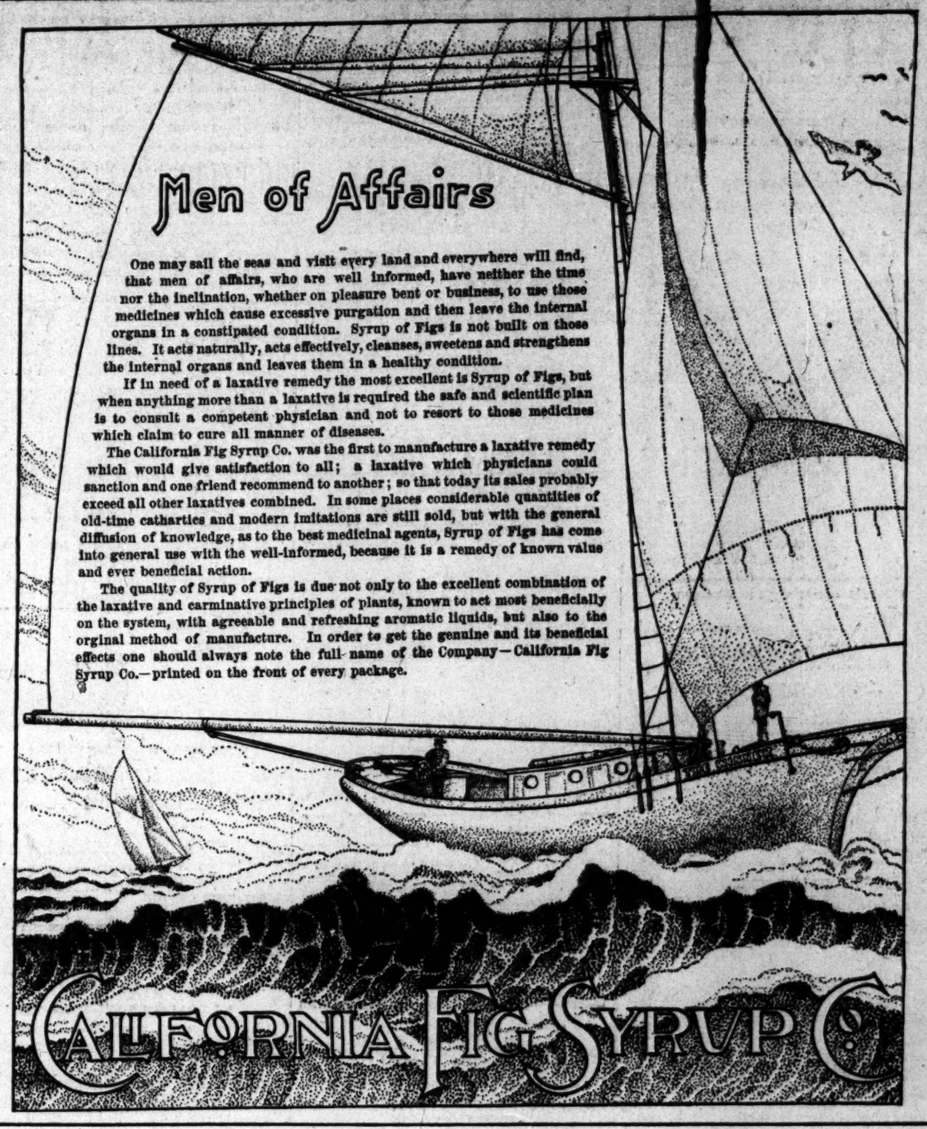
But the theorizing is an inappreciable portion of this interesting book. It is, in truth, a direct and stirring relation of the mutiny; how it broke, how it raged, how it was quenched at Lucknow, at Delhi, at Cawnpore, at Lahore. With it is inevitably an estimate of the men who fought those desperate battles, and a fair and discerning estimate it appears to be. Such gallantry, such bravery, such victory over an almost innumerable enemy it is difficult to parallel. The manner in which India was cowed by the astounding daring of a handful of Englishmen is the most magnificent illustration possible of the superiority of the Anglo-Saxon over the Oriental—that is to say, his superiority in generalship, in endurance, in fighting qualities, and in masterfulness. By masterfulness, that mysterious quality of the spirit, does England hold India today. Whether the day of universal insurrection will come, as some critics venture to affirm, Mr. Fitchett does not offer an opinion. He concludes his tale abruptly, with the crushing of the mutiny, and not for a page has the interest of the reader flagged. The book is published by Charles Scribner's Sons, New York.

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